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he special attention of masonry contractors is ed to this work, which will aggregate about ive thousand (12,000) cubic yards, in five plors one abutment. and one abutment.

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He asks but little in weekly pay,
He takes all the risks of the giving.
You'll thank him heartily, too, some day,
For he'll show you the truest living."

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And Mac-well, he ill surprise you.
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Silk Handkerchiefs at 35c each.
Silk Mufflers at 50c each.
Silk Mufflers at 75c each.
Pulse Warmers at 10 a pair.
Lisle Thread Gloves at 5c a pair.
Cashmere Gloves at 10c a pair.
Taffeta Silk Gloves at 10c a pair.
Children's Wool Mittens at 5c a pair.
Children's Wool Mittens at 10c a pair.

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Best Calicoes at 40 a yard.

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Best Indigo Blue Calico at 50 a yard.

30 inch Shirting Penangs at 50 a yard.

Good Ginghams at 40 a yard.

Best Ginghams at 50 a yard.

Crinoline Linings at 30 a yard.

Silesias and Drillings at 60 a yard.

Wigans and Paddings at 70 a yard.

Good Sea Island Muslin at 3%0 a yard.

Good Canton Flannel at 50 a yard.

Gray Twilled Flannel at 7%0 a yard.

All-wool red Flannel at 150 a yard.

Flannelette and Cheviot at 7%0 a yard.

At NIGOT'S Good Crash at 20 a
Blacked Crash at German Damask Crash at de a yard.

Large Bath Towels at 5c each.
All-linen Towels at 5c each.
Large Damask Towels at 10c each.
Knotted Fringe Towels at 10c each.
Fancy Turkish Towels at 10c each.
Brod's Table Cloths at 45c each.
Turkey Red Doylies, 10c dozen.
Checked Nainsooks at 4c a yard.
Plain India Linen at 6% c a yard.

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Read This List of Bargains.

Men's Cheviot Shirts at 15c.

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Men's Heavy Wool Mittens at 5c a pair.

Men's Scotch Gloves at 15c a pair.

Men's Drilling Drawers at 15c a pair.

Men's Denim Jumpers at 25c each.

Men's Flannelette Shirts at 25c each.

Boys' Merino Drawers, 15c pair.

Men's heavy Undershirts, 25c each.

Boys' gray Undershirts, 25c each.

Men's fancy Undershirts, 35c each.

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Men's Inlaundered Shirts, 44c each.

Men's Percale Scarfs, 5c dozen.

Men's Silk Scarfs, 10c each.

Men's Linen Collars at 5c each.

Men's Paper Collars, 5c box.

Children's Merino Shirts, 5c each.

Children's Scarlet Wool Pants, 10c each.

Children's Scarlet Wool Pants, 10c mair.

Men's fancy Celluloid Collars at 10c.

Men's fancy Celluloid Collars at 15c.

FROM BRODS' STOCK READ THIS LIST OF BARGAINS.

Vest at 10c. Ladies' Merino Vests at 19c. Ladies' Merin

Drawers at 19c.
Children's Scarlet Vests at 10c.
Ladies' Natural Wool Vests at 69c.
Ladies' Scarlet Wool Vests at 69c.
Ladies' Black Jerseys at 25c each.
Ladies' Wool Jerseys at 50c each.
Ladies' Wool Jerseys at 50c each.
Ladies' Cashmere Jerseys at \$1.95 each.
Wool Shoulder Shawls af 25c each.
Large Gingham Umbrellas at 75c.
Gold Mounted Handles at 95c each.
Gloria Silk Umbrellas at \$1.
Printed Madras Draperv as 5c a yard.
Lace, Striped Scrim, at 5c a yard.
Nottingham Curtains at 9c a yard.
Blue Mosquito Net at 2c a yard.
Table Oil Cloth at 19c a yard.
Shelf Oil Cloth at 5c a yard.

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At Nigon's Boys' Jersey Caps, 2c. Zephyr Toboggans, 5c. Fine Cloth Polo Caps, 10c.
Hand-knit Fascinators, 10c and 15c. Gingham Aprons, 10c.
Infants' Zephyr Caps, 5c.
Children's cashmere Caps.
Twin wire Bustles. 3c. Twin wire Bustles, 3c. Good long-waisted corsets, 25c.

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French woven corsets, 50c. Ladies' unbleached muslin Chemises, 10c. Ladies' unbleached muslin drawers, 10c. Ladies' unbleached cotton flannel draw-

At Nigent's Ribbons at 10 ayard, all colors.

Lot Ribbons at 20 a yard, all colors.

Another lot of Ribbons at 30 a yard.

Lot Silk Ribbons at 50 a yard, Nos. 5 to

Fancy Garter Web, 1c a yard.

Better Garter Web, 2%0 a yard.

Hair Pins, 8 papers for 5c.

Assorted Ric Rac, 5c a bunch.

Thimbles, 2 for a penny.

Kid and Leather Purses, 2c.

Velvet Purses, 5c.

Long Pocket-books, 10c.

Key Rings, 5 for 1c.

Stand Mirrors, 5c and 10c.

Picture Frames, 1c.

Combs, rubber and horn, 2c each.

Plated Lace Pins, 3c each.

Odd lot assorted 25c Jewelry, 5c each biece. Raleigh's Flax Thread, 100 yards, 2

FROM BROD'S STOCK.

Playing cards 2 packs for 5c. Cedar Pencils, 2 dozen At Nugent's Eagle Pencils, rubber tip, 5c dozen.
Double Book-slates, 13c each.
Slate Pencils, 1c dozen.
Box Note Paper and Envelopes 5c.
Foolscap Paper 5c quire.
Writing Tablets 2c each.
Writing Books 1c each.
Commercial Note Paper 3c quire.
Good White Envelopes 3c package.
China Marbles, 100 for 5c.
25c Dolls for 5c.
\$1.00 Dolls for 25c.
Colored Roll Braid, 2c roll.
Ladies' White Muslin Skirts, embroidered, 35c.

ered, 35c.
Corsets for 18c.
Pearl Dress Buttons, 1c doz.
Ivory Dress and Coat Buttons, 2%c doz.
Agate Buttons, 1c card.
Metal Dress Buttons, 2%c doz.
Metal Clasps, 5c each.
Pearl Shirt Buttons, 2%c doz.
Jet Dress Buttons, 2%c doz.
Pearl Dress Buttons, 2%c doz.
Pearl Dress Buttons, 2%c doz.
Saxony Wool, 5c skein.
American Knitting Yarn, 3c hank.
German Knitting Worsted, 12c hank.
Assorted lot Crochet Cotton, 3c ball.
3-yard spool Embroidery Silk, 3c dozen.

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Pocket Pin Cushions, in Watch Cases, Silver Beads, 20 string.

Tin Type Albums, 5c.

Plush Photo Albums, choice, 25c.

Scrap Books, 2 for 5c and 5c each.

Blacking Brushes, 5c.

Shoe Brushes, 10c.

Cloth Brushes, 10c.

Hair Brushes, 5c.

Cocca-Oil and Castile Scap, 1c cake.

Centennial Blacking, 2 boxes for 5c.

Stove Polish, 2c cake.

Mucilage, 2c bottle.

Lamp Wicks, all sizes, 1c each.

Marshall's linen thread, 200-yards

spools. 5c spool.

Marshall's linen thread, 200-yards spools, 5c spool.
Crawford's 100 linen thread, 2c spool.
Ladles' Collars, assorted styles and sizes, 6 for 10c.
Children's embroidered collars, 5c.
10c Ruching, 2c a yard.
15c Ruching, 5c a yard.

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Children's Cotton Hose, 7%c pair.
Children's Wool and Cotton Stockings at 8%c pair.
Children's Wool and Cotton Hose, 10c pair.

Ladies' Cotton Hose, 5c, 7%c, 8%c and 10c pair. Ladies' Wool and Cotton Hose at 10c pair.
Ladies' All-Wool Hose, 17c pair.
Men's Cotton Half Hose at 5c and 7%c

Men's Wool and Cotton Half hose, 8%0

pair.
Men's Wool and Cotton Half Hose at 100
pair.
Printed Madras, 5c a yard.
Lace Curtain Scrim, 5c a yard.
Nottingham Lace for Curtains; 12%c-a yard. Nottingham Lace Bed Sets, \$1.36 a set. Nottingham Lace Curtains, 3½ yards

long, 90c a pair. Nottingham Lace Curtains, extra wide, \$1.35 a pair.

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Gooseberry, Damson, Quinces.

Blackberry,

Raspberry, Pear,

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AT THE WHITE HOUSE.

THE CONSOLATION A MISSOURI DELEGA-TION GOT FROM THE PRESIDENT.

talia, Springfield and Jeffreun City Post-mastership Contests Settled — Capt, Bridges on the Anxious Seat—The Hear-Wickham Bill—Usual Proceedings in the House—The Counted Quorum—Capital

By Telegraph to the Post-Disparcii.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 13.—The Washington end of the Springfield (Mo.) Post-Office controversy has been settled at last by the on of Wm. Abbott as Postmaster. The charges made by the opposition fell of their own weight after the "farmer" Congressman made an explanation before the Senate Committee.

As already stated in these dispatches, the new Postmaster at Jefferson City will be Julius Conrath. The papers recommending him have been forwarded from the Post-Office Department.

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The tide has again changed in the Sedalia case, and the name of Capt. Harry Demuth has been sent forward-for the position. The opposition made, a strong protest and went so far as to call upon the President to argue against him. The President informed those who called that he did not remember the names of the gentlemen to the controversy and left them satisfied that their wrangle was not disturbing the Executive a whit. Nothing more shan a visit of this kind convinces the average Missourian that he is mighty small potatoes, after all. The Executive is a busy man, and would have to retire did he stop to take cognizance of the fancied abuses in every post-office controversy of this importance. ice controversy of this importance.

Supreme Court Relief.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 13 .- Sub-commit tees of the Senate and House Committees on the Judiciary, consisting of Senators Evarts Taylor, Cuiberson and Rogers, to-day gave a hearing to a committee of the American Bar Association upon the bills intended to give relief to the Supreme Court and to facilitate the administration of justice. The Bar Committee consisted of Henry Hitch-cock of St. Louis, President of the association; Wm. Allen Buller of New York; Waiter B. Hill, Georgia; Edward Otis, Hinkley of Baitimore, Secretary of the Bar Association; J. Hubley Ashton, of Washington and Francis Rawle, of Philadelphia. Before the gentlemen of the committee were heard, J. Reginaid Fendall, of Washington, asked the committee to take no action upon the bills until the Bar Association of Washington should be heard upon the subject so far as it related to cases originating in the District of Columbia. The members of the committee all argued in favor of the establishment of an intermediate Appellate Supreme Court and the inferior courts of the Federal Judiciary. This was said to be in harmony with the system of jurisprudence in all English-speaking countries, and had been adopted by several of the States, notably New York.

The division of the Supreme Court into sec-Taylor, Culberson and Rogers, to-day gave

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The division of the Supreme Court into sections to hear cases of various kinds would not, it was argued, answer the demand. As it is, the court is taxed to the utmostor human capacity and endurance. The only practical relief is in more judges.

Air, Hill presented an analysis of the work of the court for the past twenty terms, which shows that on the average 417 cases were disposed of but only 200 were adjudicated, the rest going off the docket by dismissal, compromise, etc. It is estimated that the number of cases that will be filed for the October term of the court this year wiff be 650, end there are now 1,630 cases on the docket awaiting consideration. The arguments or statements of the committee covered the methods of procedure, basis and limitation of appeals, the power of Congress to regulate appeals and to establish the court suggested and the practicably of the court to serve the purpose in view.

Deputy Commissioner of Pensions. To Telegraph to the POST-DISPATON.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 13 .- No appoint ment has yet been made to the vacant Deputy Commissionership in the Pension Office, although it is stated that Commissioner Raum has recommended an ex-member of Congress for the position. The Commissioner stated to a Missouri Congressman that he wanted at man familiar with the law; a man free of entanglements and one who has had a congressional experience, and that such a one was already his choice. The Missourian, in drawing his conclusions, amounced to your correspondent that the description fits ex-Congressman Brown of Pennsylvania, whom he thinks will be the selection. The friends of Capt. Bridges are still pressing his claims, and ex-Chairman Widdecome of the Republican State Committee remains on the ground looking after his prospects. for the position. The Commissioner stated to

Kansas City Fast Mail,

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCE is endeavoring to pull through the early mair project for Kansas City. The success of the movement largely depends upon the influence the people of that city can bring on the Postoffice officials. Of course Maj. Warner is the strong man to do this, but in his efforts he called to his assistance Congressman Dockery who is the best posted Missourian on postal affairs. The Major has also said a word in behalf of the proposed public building at Kansas City, and some little credit has been accorded him. The bill for the building, however, is Congressman Tarsney's, who mades hard fight for its success before the House Committee. If the measure succeeds all credit on the House side should go to Tarsney. A report will be made to the full House Committee on the proposition to-morrow. project for Kansas City. The success of the

Washington, D. C., Feb. 13.—The introduction in the Senate of a bill by Senator Hoar similar to the one introduced by Mr. Wickham of Ohio has caused considerable comment as to the exast course laid out by the Republicans. Senator Hoar said, when he introduced his bill, that fear had been expressed that there would be an attempt to make new representative districts to take effect after the next election and to gerry mander some States in the interest of one or the other of the political parties before the election. He claimed that his bill was in the interest of justice.

If the Ohio Legislature within ten days should pass an and redistricting the Congressional districts of that State and it should be approved by the Governor and then Congress should pass the Hoar-Wickham bill, the question arises, what would be the result? It is claimed that the bills introduced relative to this matter are unconstitutional, and it is anticipated that when the bills are brought one of the livioliset debates Congress has ever seen will occur.

For the Relief of Indians.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 15.—The President has authorized the expenditure of \$3,000 for the relief of the present urgent needs of the Davil's Lake Indians in North Dakota. A measure is pending in Congress appropriating 22,000 additional for the subsistence of these Indians.

Finally the discussion on the amendment and was incommended to a disposal of it to the United States) was not allocated and any the tall the authorized the account of the country. He expressed his amazement that the country and so totally with-account of the country and so to tally with-account of the country and so totally with-account of the country and WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 13.-The intro-

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 13 .- The Senate Committee on Commerce to-day further con sidered the bill to make a deep water harbo at Galveston, and decided to take a vote upor measure at the next meeting. At the morning, as usual, the Democrats obmetime the question of the nomination of Gov. Warmoth to be Collector of the Port New Orleans and whether or not shall be reported favorashil be reported favorashil be reported favorashil probably be disposed of.

Gen. Comstock, Col. O. H. Ernest and Maj. Suter of the Mississippi River Commission were before the committee to be heard upon Senator Gibson's joint resolution appropriating \$4,000,000 to preserve the work already done by the commission and continue operations under its plan, but the committee decided to have the officers present written statements showing the proxress of the work, what has been accomplished and what is necessary to continue the plan upon which it is working.

Postmasters Appointed. Postmasters Appointed.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 18.—Among the appointments made by the President to-day were the following postmasters:

Pannsylvania—Robert W. Bannatyne, Tunhannock; Geo. S. Kelper, Ashland; Joziah Kelly, Somerset; Edward H. Graves, Coates, Ville; Theo. Pierce, Canton; Wm. McKlim, Oil City; Henry H. Evans, Tideout; Geo. D. Wilkinson, Blossburg; Robert McWhinney, Homestead; Thomas D. Alexander, Oxford; Wm. H. Underwood, Washington.

Texas—John H. Hutchinson, Taylor; Charles T. Nash, Beaumont.

Ohlo—Wm. A. Barringer, Middleport; David H. Darrah, Bellaire; James B. Taylor, Cambridge; Andrew Gardner, Jr., Columbus: Tobias R. Woodborne, Dennison.

Illinois—Geo. J. Castie, Carlinville; Wm, M. Lowis, Lena; James A. Willoughby, Belleville.

Wisconsin-Hiram J. Smith, Racine; James Driver, Darlington. Indian Territory-Robert M. Kilgore, Mus-

Indian Territory—Robert M. Kilgore, Musoogee.

Ogee.

Missouri—Ambrose Dunham, Mound City;
James B. Campbell, Lee's Summit; Harry W.
Koch, Palmyra.

Nebraska—Jos. W. Johnston, Sutton,
Montans—David Lamont, Dillon.

Minnesota—Nathaniel S. Lane, North St.
Paul; Wm. H. Hill, Fairmount.

North Dakota—Ferdinand H. Struzenacker,
Ellendale; Charles E. Johnson, Lisbon.

Iowa—Halsey H. Sunders, Waterloo; Lewis
B. Thornburg, Perry; Rufus T. Sparks, Jefferson; Wm. E. Shriver, Winterset.

Kansas—John H. Bail, Caldwell; James M.
Simpson, McPherson; Mrs. Anna M. Moore,
Brighton.

Wasbington—James D. Laman, Walla Walla.
California—Wm. S. Cannon, San Luis
Obispo; Joseph McGown, Livermore; Jacob
E. Whitson, Selma.

Trade Relations With Canada.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 18 .- The House Committee on Foreign Affairs to-day referred a memorial of Boston's Board of Trade praying for action by Congress that would strengthen the trade relations between the United States and Canada to a sub-committee, consisting of Messrs. Hitt, Dunnell and Chapman. This reference will have the effect of making the gentlemen named a sub-committee to have charge of all questions bearing upon reciprocity between the United States and Canada.

Political Situation in Samon, WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 13 .- A report from Lieutenant Commander Hunken, of the ship Adams, in regard to the political situation in Samoa was sent to the Committee on Foreign Relations and laid before the Senate yester day. All of the chiefs have given their allegience to Maileton, and there is porfect peace. The Germans have withdrawn all vessels, the Alexandrine being under orders to sail on Jannary 20 for Aukland, and remain away until the end of the hurricane season.

To Be Returned to the sender.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 18 .- Assistant Secretary Tichenor has instructed the Col-lector of Customs at Chicago to cause all articles contained in unsealed packages received at that port by foreign mail, which are refused by the persons addressed to be returned to the sender in the foreign country in all cases where the addressee supplies the necessary postage.

The Oklahoma Bill. WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 13 .- At 2:30 this afternoon the Senste passed the Oklahoma

Bond Offerings.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 13 .- The bond offerings to-day aggregated \$550 coupon 4428 at 104%, and \$45,000 4½s registered at the same figure. All were accepted.

In the Senate.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 13.-In the Senate to-day, among the bills reported from committees and placed on the calendar were the following: Two for the establishment and the following: Two for the establishment and maintenance of Indian industrial schools in Michigan and South Dakota.

On motion of Mr. Dolph, the Senate bill appropriating \$500,000 for a public building in Portland, Ore., was taken from the calendar and passed.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill to provide a temporary government for the Territory of Okiahoma, the pending question being Mr. Plumb's amendment to comprise No Man's Land within the new Territory.

prise No Man's Land within the new Territory.

Mr. Vest again spoke in favor of the amendment. While he agreed with Mr. Ingalis as to the improved condition of the five civilized tribes, Senators ought, he said, as practical legislators, to look deliberately to the inevitable and to what was taught by past experience in relation to the region lying west of Indian Territory.

He had never said, as Mr. Ingalis intimated, that No-Man's-Land was a refuge for outlaws, but he asserted now that, so far as the laws of property were concerned, No-Man's-Land was in an anomalous and unsatisfactory condition. And so, indeed, was the whole Indian Territory, which has been characterized by the Suprem Court as an 'independent dependency,' whatever that might mean. Without injustice to the Indians, without any proposition to despoil them, with full intention to pay them a fair price for their Cherokee outlet, he thought that the best thing that could be done was to add No-Man's-Land to the Territory of Okishoma. He favored the appointment of a new commission, the removal of the limitation of \$1.25 an acre and the authorizing of the commission to negotists with the 'Indians and to pay them a fair price. No-

erry.

Finally the discussion on the amendment was closed and a vote taken on it. The vote resulted: yeas, 27; nays, 18. So the amendment to include No Man's Land within the Territory of Oklahoma was agreed to. Usual Proceedings in the House. WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 13 .- In the Hous this morning, as usual, the Democrats ob-

DRY GOODS CO. JUST OPENED

And Will Offer Them In Dress Goods Department

MAIN FLOOR-FRIDAY

Great Attractions in Goods and Prices in This Department.

Pieces Choice Imported

That Have Not sold Under \$1 to \$1.25,

. That We Offer at

63c Per Yard.

journal approved by a vote of yeas, 141; nays, 1 (Mr. Buckalew).
On motion of Mr. Hitt of Illinois the Senate joint resolution was passed unanimously, congratulating the people of the United States of Brazil on the adoption of a republican form of government. The consideration of the code of rules was then proceeded with.
Mr. Cannon of Illinois, from the Committee on Rules, reported an amendment requiring the titles of committee reports to be entered on the journal and printed in the Record.
Adopted.

IF YOU FAIL TO Read the merchants' "cut prices" advertised in this issue of the Post-Disparce you will regret it.

INVESTMENT SECURITIES.

in Extraordinary Demand for Them, and the Market Cleaned Up. The brokers on Third street are just now exerting every effort to obtain good investment securities. Order after order for them is on file, and cannot be filled. The demand last fall exceeded anything preceeding, but it was nothing to be compared to this. A small lot of Missouri county school bonds, for instance, sold to-day at 104 and interest, a price entirely unexpected. Another order received was from the interior of the State, and for any bonds that are considered good. Generally the purchaser fixes upon some special bond, but under present circumstances he is glad to get any. Another instance was of a little Missouri city, which recently called for bids on an issue of \$12,000. This would not ordinarily attract any attention, but in this case there were nine bidders, and the successful broker paid 103. The street has been entirely cleaned of not only county, but street railway bonds, and there is no known source of replenishing the supply. The cause is the amount of money seeking a place outside of business requiring on file, and cannot be filled. The demand seeking a place outside of business requiring attention.

Do Your Thinking

To-night after you have carefully read the issue of the Post-Dispatch.

ARRESTED BY THE POLICE.

wo Girls Who Gave Startling Explanation

Detectives Prieze and Ziegler arrested Louise Schroen, aged 14, living at 5216 South Third treet, and Anna Johnson, aged 15, living at 617 Poplar street, this afternoon about 2 o'clock, at a hotel on Ninth and Pine streets, where they have been occupying rooms and boarding since Saturday, they saying that they have not been paying for board. They are flower girls and have been seiling flowers on the streets. The Schroen girl says she left home because revolting proposals had been made to her. The police will take charge of the girls for the present.

TWO Remember that all "want" WANTS advertisers in the SUNDAY POST-FILLED. DISPATCH of February 16 get the companion picture, "Hamlet

Grover Curran yesterday got out a writ of gaded silk umbrella, which he claims Mrs. ngaues sik umoreils, which he claims Mrs. Sutherland, his former landlady, living at 2008 Lucas place, has appropriated to her own use. Deputy Constable Coughlan went to the house of Mrs. Sutherland for the purpose of getting the property, and Mrs. Sutherland will answer to the charge before Justice Kane, February 24, and present her claims to the property.

A Proposition to the Standard. PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 13.-At a meeting day a proposition was made to the Standard company for the latter to handle a daily output of from 8,000 to 10,000 barress of oil, which is to be returned to the producers after refining, the Standard to receive toils and charges for the same. If this proposition is not accepted the producers say they will be forced to arect independent refineries.

Remember that all "want" WANTS advertisers in the SUNDAY POSTand Ophelia," to that of last Sunday.

AWAITED WITH ANXIETY

THE HEARING OF CHARLES SUTTER ON THE ELECTRIC LIGHT DELAY.

the Contractor Set Up by the City-Cause

The Board of Public Improvements has heard nothing from Charles Sutter and prob-ably will hear nothing until he makes his answer next Tuesday. Meanwhile the members are waiting for the appointed day with some anxiety. The responsibility which now rests upon the Hoard of Public Improvements is not a light one. To forfeit the contracts for electric lighting is a matter of great important. portance both to the city and to Mr. Sutter, for the contract on both sides is a good one. and it would be a loss to both to lose it. The board is proceeding in this matter under two sections of the contract, which state the time when the lighting shall begin, and say that if the contractor acts in bad faith the contract shall be annulled. Section E of the contract says: "The said party of the first part further agrees that the preparations for carrying out this days after the approval of the ordinance conly thereafter with such force and in such man-

least five days before the day named for said hearing.

"And it is further agreed that if after said hearing, or in default of appearance on the party of the first part, the Board of Public Improvements shall be of the opinion that the said party of the first part is wilfully violating any of the first part is wilfully violating any of the conditions or covenants of this contract, or executing this contract in bad faith, the said Board of Public Improvements shall notify the contractor to that effect; and if said contractor shall not within ten days thereafter take such measures as will, in the jadgment of the Board of Public Improvements, insure the satisfactory compliance with the terms, conditions and covenants of this contract and specifications the said board may proceed as hereinsfeer provided to annul and cancel this contract, or may then, by and with the consent of the Mayor of the city of St. Louis, notify the aforesaid contractor to discontinue all lighting and furnishing of electricity under this contract; and it is hereby expressly agreed that said contractor shall immediately respect said notice and stop work and promptly relinquish to the Board of Fublic Improvements il materials, plant and property procured for the execution of this contract without hindrance or delay."

UNDER THAT CLAUSE

the Roard of Public Improvements has the

the Contractor Looking Forward to Tues-day-Breaches of Faith on the Part of

ly thereafter with such force and in such manner as to secure the lighting " as herein specified and designated, an and continuously after the lat.day of January, 1890."

MR. SUTTER DID NOT OOMPLY

with this clause of the contract. He was not ready to begin lighting on January 1, 1890, but his time was extended ninery days, and he himself said that that would be sufficient time in which to complete his plant. From the condition of the plant at present Supervisor Matlack believes that it will not be ready to be put in operation at that time, and the board has therefore determined upon the present course to force the completion of the work, or if that cannot be done, to annui the contracts. The reason for this is that, though the outside work is practically all done, up to this time no electrical apparatus has been provided.

ANOTHER CLAUSE

provided.

ANOTHER CLAUSE
under which the board is acting is as follows:

'It is hereby agreed by and between the
parties to this contract, that, if there be probable cause for supposing that this contract is
not being carried out in good faith, the Board
of Public Improvements should set a day
whereon the contractor shall be heard, and
give said contractor written notice thereof at
least five days before the day named for said
hearing.

this contract without hindrance or delay."

INDER PHAT CLAUSE

the Board of Public Improvements has the power at any time to annul the contract for a reasonable cause and the causes which have been brought to their attention are many. In the first place, Mr. Sutter has notified Supervisor Matlack that he will use the high tension system, when he is aware that the height of the poles, the placing of the lamps, and the whole plan of the outside work was consented to by the board on the understanding that the low tension system was to be used. Mr. Sutter promised that the boilers should be put in at a specified time and his failure to keep this promise was one of the causes for the delay of

Are going off like hot cakes. Sales were never so large because Bargains were never so

REMEMBER!

This was one of the Largest and most Superb Stocks ever known in Philadelphia and bought for Cash for Less than 40 Cents on the Dollar, and will be sold

The finest satin finished Cut Glass at Lower Prices than the manufacturers can make it for. Haviland's Fine Dinner Sets at Lower Prices than it cost to manufacture them in Limoge,

Rogers' Celebrated Triple-plated Silverware, for less than the price of the silver on

Too Busy to Enumerate Them. Come and

Sale Now Going On at Fabulous Low Prices.

BROADWAY AND ST. CHARLES ST.

Insane Asylum Attendants Complain. Mayor Noonan was surprised this morning then he received a complaint against one of

present time has been known for the excelent manner in which it was managed. The complaint came in the form of a letter from the attendants of the Insane Asylum and read we, the attendants of this institution, wish to inform your Honor of the harsh treatment we receive here, knowing you are not aware of it, we think to petition you. We get food here, not fit for animals to eat, and we don't

nd steamboats.
Our offer of a prize of a coyote skin jacket

Ir's a Go .- Last night we forwar ness to the Governor to be allowed to raise avairy company here to be known as "T kicker Legion," and to be appointed color of the same. There is no doubt but that the color will be awallowed like a hot but the transity of the same. request will be swallowed like a hot buck wheas cake, and that in less than two month the streets of this town will echo the thunde of charging squadrons. We propose to do nate the weekly services of six mules, in cas our request is compiled with, and we promis the boys in advance that we shall lead them to glory and death whenever it is converient to do so.

How are you, "Colonel?"—a real, live Colonel with a commission in his pocket and bosom full of patriotism and glory! No wor der the old shellback down the street sits an gazes into vacancy by the hour. He has loo his grip in this town and he sees the band writing on the wall. No advance will be mad in our advertisements intended for the week's less must be in by Tuesday noon.

Now Let Him Hown.—When the old chatel-mortgaged, bankrupted, poverty-stricken concern down the avenue which claims to be

for the lamps are all adjusted for the amperes and the lamps and the lam

From the Atchison Globe,

Though a woman no longer has a bustle or a corset to put on she does not dress any quicker than she used to.

Another Physician

who does not assess to his knowledge, says:
"Eight months ago a patient whose family
physician I had been for seven years, tried
Hood's Sarsaparills. The result was truly wonderful. A paie, emaciated dyspeptic was by three months' use of Hood's Sarsaparilla changed into a picture of perfect health. In the future I shall regard it a duty to humanity to prescribe Hood's Sarsaparilia. Had I time I could cite numerous cases." R. J. HAL-LERAN, M. D., Nashua, N. H. "My boys say, 'Papa, why don't you buy

BRAL, Portland, Oregon, the oldest druggist

Hood's Sarsaparilla fold by all druggists. \$1; 6 for \$5. Prepared only by C.1. HOOD & CO., Apothecaries, Lewell, Mass.

100 Doses One Dollar

"Sincerity,
Thou first of the faults of a sincere Virtues."

Who does not admire the faults of a sincere person rather than the person rather than the

virtues of one who is insincere? Sham is bound to discover itself. That's the reason certain ones are comlaining "Barr's 're selling dress goods

so cheap they're ruining trade." We're

what did Mr. Com-

sorry to do that, but

tend he could sell as cheap as Barr's for? If it's a fault that we're selling so cheap we're honest about it anyway.

By the way, those bleges that we're selling at 12% cents a yard, we hear one house is offering as a grand special at fifteen cents. Now if you consider two and BARR'S.

a half cents on a

yard is worth saving you know how to save it, by trading at Barr's. Just a word as to those new French serges at sixty cents a yard. We opened them yesterday, and found them a much fluer fabric than we expected, and the shades something astonishing. Many of them belong to a new family of colors that BARR'S. aven't yet been

Here's something you've been waiting

named. Side bands 9 inches deep. They what everybody says on seeing it, 40 ing linens. Everybody knows the come in the new red that is going to be inches wide and every yard guaransuch a rage for young girls' wear this | teed at strictly Barr prices. They say we have the finest and only complete assortment of these goods in town.

> Here's a grand big bargain BARR'S.

celebrated number 128 double satin. one-twenty-five a yard-but do they know that Barr's are selling it this week at 97% cents? 72 inches wide,

A walk through the establishment 'll repay anybody. New spring goods exhibited in every department. In embroideries we are showing advanced novelties nover seen here before. And our display of household linen is "simNo Record of an Equal Offering.

-> Another Great CHEAP SALE To-Morrow, Friday. <

Be Sure and Read Prices Below. An Opportunity That May Not Be Repeated. At Lower Prices Than You

TS. ODDS AND ENDS Ever Saw Them Before!

BY ATTENDING THIS REMARKABLE SALE CLOSE and KEEN BUYERS WIII SAVE MONEY

Housekeepers' Dept. ier to make room for spring goods ces and then come and be CONVINCED

lle Carving Knife and Fork, war At 23c

27c. Plated Copper Bot-COFFEE POT, worth 35c, Only

| Bargains in our Jewelry and Silverware Dep'ts. | These Gold Plated Rhinestone Earrings, worth 50c.

For Friday, per pair 10 Solid Gold Band Rings for Bables at 15c. This Elegant Breakfast Caster.

> Worth 75c; For Friday Only at

SHOE DEPARTMENT.

LACE DEPARTMENT.

Another lot of those fine Crepe Lisse
Ruchings, assorted styles, worth from
20c to 25c yard,
Red Letter Price, 10c Yard
Lot of short lengths 40-inch Black Spanish
Gulpure and Black Chantilly Lace
Flouncings, worth \$1.25 to \$2.50 yard,
Red Letter Price, 50c Yard

Red Letter Price, 50c Yard

Regular price

DRESS TRIMMINGS. t of Persian Band Trimmings, in black and cream ground, former price 75c to Red Letter Price, 25c Yard

HANDKERCHIEFS. t of Gents' Colored Japanese Silk Hand-kerchiefs, hemstitched, former price 75c each. Red Letter Price, 25c Each

Notice the Special Red Letter offerings in ur Muslin Underwear Department: Nightrobes at 67 Cents.

A full-size Nightrobe of spiendid muslin, tucked yoke and finished with embroidery, Red Letter Bargain, 67 Cents; actual value, Skirts at 97 Cents. 'A spiendid Muslin Skirt, full width, deep ruffle, with insertion and edge of fine Torchon Lace, Red Letter Bargain, 97 Cents; actual value, \$1.25.

Drawers at 3 Cents.
Drawers, good muslin, with ruffle of embroidery and tucks above, Red Letter Price, 37 Cents; actual value, 65 cents.

At 8c a Pair. 25, 20 and 15.
3 lots Children's Cotton Hose, broken stock lots, all colors, or black, in all sizes,
Go at 8c

At 12c a Pair. Regular value, 25c. 1 lot Ladies' Cotton Hose, all broken stock lots; some fancy, some black, some colored......

At 53c Each. Dollar Shirts for 53c. 1 lot Gents' fine Custom Made Dress Shirts, unlaundered, \$1 shirts, Friday only at 53c

UPHOLSTERY DEPARTMENT. These Prices for Friday Only.

Friday's Price, \$1.79 per pair.

BLANKETS. At 79c per pair. WHITE GOODS AND LINENS. These Prices for Red-Letter Day Only. Only 2 1-2c per yard.
One lot white striped Lawns;

Red-Letter Price, 8 1-2c per yd. One Lot Remnants, open work Lawns, lengths from 3 to 6 yds. Regular price, 12420

Friday's Price, 15c per yard.
Remnants, unbleached Table Damask,
lengths from 2 to 4 yards;
Weuld be cheap at 25

Only 25c per doz. All-linen Bleached Napkins;

LININGS. Only 7c per yard.

Remnants plain and figured Silesias:

Worth 15c DOMESTIC DEP.

At 52 English Prints, choice styles, % of yard wide, regular 12½c. This is without a doubt the best value every english Prints, without a doubt the best value every effered in this country and will sell

at the extraordinary sacrifice price of

390 per yd.

er quality and wider width, at the ex-

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1 lot 36-inch all-wool fancy Flannel Plaids, in new Spring colors, worth 60c, out a doubt the best value ever offered in this country and will sell this Friday only at 5 ½c per yard.

At 84c per yd NOTIONS.

18-inch whalebone, regularly sold We centinue the sale of those beauti-

DRESS GOODS.

1 lot 24-inch fancy dress plaids, in

good medium dark styles, worth

at 10c each:
Red-Letter Price, ic each
Best Quality Household Ammonia, regularly sold at 10c bottle;
Red-Letter Price, 5c bottle
Kirk's Oolah Toilet Soap, regularly sold at 5c cake, 50c dozen;
Red-Letter Price, 3c cake,
35c dozen ful figured China Silks, gennine goods,

Smoked Pearl Buttons, regularly sold at 5c dozen; Red-Letter Price, 2½c dozen Really worth DOUBLE the price ; also A few extra choice designs in the bet-

> All odds and ends of Tobo Caps from our several Bank-rupt stocks all go at Red-Letter Price, 3c each

Avenue.

WOMEN AT THE HELM.

THE WIVES AND DAUGHTERS OF MECHAN-ICS AND LABORERS ORGANIZE-

They Propose to Arouse the Men to a Sense of Their Duty, and to Extend Financial Aid and Social Encouragement-Eight Hours' Work and More Pay.

The labor world is now certainly stirred up to organization and to bringing every influence possible to bear on the employing classes to give the journeyman and laborer what he demands, in justice to himself and family, ins of ar, at least, as it is supported by reaso humanity. The latest organiza-is the Women's Trade and r Auxiliary of St. Louis, with headquarters at 2322 Howard street. This association is organized to give the men the assistance of the women. As it is stated in their call to the women of the country, the 'wives and mothers organize for the protecamble and constitution shows a fire and spirit which only woman can show in this way. Their motto is:

enjoyments of the eight-hour day,

is introduced. In it the women recognize that nature, such as food, clothing, shelter, fuel, medical aid, mental develop

class to obtain the first requirements of fature, such as food, clothing, shelter, fuel, medical aid, mental development and sufficient time for rest, recreation and sociability, their conditions prove that the laboring classes are constantly becoming less able to obtain these fundamental requirements. The first great obstacles they meet, they say, when they make an effort to supply these demands, is the lack of money to buy them with the purchasing power of a day's toil not being sufficient. Next the poorly paid and vast number of idle men all over the country force our mothers, sons and daughters to seek and obtain work at places under conditions and influences that should be filled only with men. The introduction of improved machinery combined with brain and vast sums of money has caused this idle condition of mechanics and laborers, and forced our women and children, aided by these improved methods, to turn out the greater proportion of the articles that are offered for sale in the markets of the country. The amount of wages paid these women and children is so small when compared to the amount paid men for performing the same duty, that the injustice seems to be unbearable, from the fact that the combined earnings of the MOTHER AND THREE CHILDREN on an average do not equal the wages paid a man when employed. Vast combinations, with the aid of this effeminate class of isbor, have filled the markets of the country with things transformed from the crude into useful condition, ready to be consumed, but ninetenths of the people who are tollers and consumers have been for many years, and are yet, without a wage power apillelent to even buy the first requirements of mature. These organized combinations of improved methods, brain and money must be met, they urge, by the organized and combined forces of the mechanic and the laborer, and a demand made and enforced to the end that the toller's day must be shortened to at least eight hours, and combined forces of the mechanic and the interests of husband and will appro

BROTHERS, Broadway and Washington tion shall consist of an unlimited number of focal unions, and members acknowledging the jurisdiction of the Auxiliary, and becoming subject to its laws and usuages. The order that it is not to the second of men and women from the low level to which they have fallen. Aid, as far as possible, is extended to those who have already joined existing trades unions, and an effort will be made to form a Woman's Auxiliary to every trades union in the country loined existing trades unions, and an effort will be made to form a Woman's Auxillary to every trades union in the country now or hereafter to be organized. It will also endeavor to organize wherever women, boys or girls are employed, and also to organize the wives and daughters of the great but poorly paid and overworked class of day laborers, now almost entirely unorganized, believing that if counsel and encouragement were to come to the fathers and sons of this class through their mothers, daughters and wives, their pleadings for more money and a shorter day's toil would arouse them to organize as men in defense of their homes. They will act as pioneers, and where mechanical callings are not yet organized, will seek to plant the standard of the Woman's Trades and Labor Auxiliary, and then plead and reason with their husbands and sons to follow and organize the trades unloss.

sociation is organized to give the men the sistance of the women. As it is stated in eir call to the women of the country, the wives and mothers organize for the protection of your home and family," and the premainded and constitution shows a fire and dirit which only woman can show in this ay. Their motto is:

Eight hours a day to toll away, And eight to sleep and snore And eight to slay the coming gray, Doth make the twenty-four.

With this expressive declaration as to the phoyments of the eight-hour day, THEIR PREAMBLE THE

nature.

All mechanical industry engaged particularly in the building trades should, it is urged, be paid the same wages, and work the same number of hours, as a matter of contentment among themselves, and for the convenience of contractors and apparents. among themselves, and for the convenience of contractors and superintendents, from the fact that they all serve an apprenticeship consisting of about the same number of years, and are, as journeymen, employed about the same number of days in a year, while the extra amount of money invested in tools by some is fully equalized by others in the wear and tear of clothes, unhealthy conditions, dangers to be encountered, extra physical strain, constant monotony, inconvenience of grease and dirt and fujuries inflieted to hands and fingers by the use of dangerous materials and the operation of dangerous materials and the operation of maintains that where a woman or child in any way fills the position of a man as regards manual or mental labor, outside of their own homes, the hours required should not be more than six, while the wage should be the same as of an adult male person for eight

at the Mercantile Club.

at the Mercantile Club.

The St. Louis Alumni of Central College will give a compilmentary banquet this even ing to Bishop Hendrix and Přesident J. D. Hammond at the Mercantile Club.

The order of exercises will be as follows: Dinner, 8 to 10 p. m; toasts, John W. Vaughn, Chairman—"The Alumni," Rev. J. R. A. Vaughn; "Education and the State," W. O. Gray, Esq.; "Education and the Church," Jas. L. Carlisle, Esq.; "Social Life at Central," M. T. Haw, Esq.; "Central as It Is," W. F. Whiteside, Esq.; "The Future of Our Alms Mater," Rev. H. D. Groves; "Collegensia," M. F. Watts, Esq.; "The Curators," J. D. Vincil, D. D.; "Central College," President J. D. Hammond; "Our Founders," Bisnop E. R. Hendrix, T. S. Dines, Esq.,

The Committee on Arrangements is com-"Our Founders," Bishop E. K. Hendrix; T. S. Dines, Esq.
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HELD IN THE ICE.

Mackinaw Straits Blockaded - Traffic Sus-

are blockaded with ice, practically the first are blockaded with ice, practically the first time this season, and all traffic between the Upper and Lower Peniasular is obstructed. The St. Ignace, the ice crushing transfer boat, is held in the ice about four miles north of here and will probably not be released until the wind ve ers from the west and blows the ice back into the lake. There were sixty passengers on the St. Ignace and many of them became anxious at the imprisonment in the ice, and yesterday afternoon a party of five walked ashore from the boat, making the journey in three hours.

LIQUOR AND LATHROP.

THEY ARE NO NEARER TO AN AGREEMENT THAN ON YESTERDAY.

Citizens of the Town Admit That Serious Trouble May Grow Out of the Crusade at Any Moment - The Plattsburg Women Follow the Lead of Their Sisters at La throp-Bitter Recriminations.

y Telegraph to the Post-Disparch LATHROP, Mo., Feb. 13 .- The excitement over the crusade of the temperance women is on the increase here. A meeting of the crusaders has been arranged for to-morrow to issue an address to the women of the whole State, setting forth the reasons for raiding the dives here and asking for indorsement. The business men are still agitated over the matter. The friends of the saloon men have withis in sympathy with the crusade. Mr. Ward, the owner of the whisky destroyed, says he will make no further efforts to prosecute the women till the Circuit Court meets in May. Mayor Green says the crusaders will certainly

be prosecuted. E. W. Shinn of the Farmers' Bank says they will not be prosecuted. A large meeting was held at the Methodist Church last night, and another public meeting is announced for the public hall to-night. All of the saloon men at Plattsburg moved their liquors out of town yesterday. Cameron la-dies are in daily communication with the A banker here says no

dies are in daily communication with the Lathrop crusaders. A banker here says no one knows how this will end. It may break out in some unfortunate violence at any hour. THE CLERGY INDORSE.

The warmest backers the women have are the clergy. Rev. W. A. Crouch, speaking at a recent meeting said. "There are certain occassions in which mob law is justifiable. The raid on the saloons was one of these occasions and the women did right. If the men of the town have not the courage to to carry forward the crusade, let them stay at home and rock the babies, and their wives will carry forward the good work."

Rev. Dr. Pierce, pastor of the Methodist Epicopal Church, aliuding to the warrants for the forty-five women and the probable attempts to arrest them, denounced the saloon men who were violating the law and the officers who would dare to arrest them, and said that when they (the officers) had picked the feathers from their bodies, then the women would be ready to undergo their punishment. This was an intimation that the officers would hat teach to a coat of tar and feathers should any arrests be attempted.

Word has been received here that the saloon crusade at Plattsburg is well organized and ready for regular business. The crusaders have 100 women under their banner. One saloon-keeper has already weakened. Word was served on Henry B. McInterry, the Kesper of a saloon that is being run in violation of the local option law, that if he did not close his saloon by Saturday it would be closed for him on the Latinrop plan. The Plattaburg crusaders report that Mr. McInterry has oried enough and has agreed to sell no more liquor in that town.

GRAND LODGE A. O. U. W. Proceedings in To-Day's Session-Compensation of Officers.

At this morning's meeting of the Grand odge of the A. O. U. W. the only work done was the reading of the reports of the commit-tees on finance and laws. Over an hour was was the reading of the reports of the committees on finance and laws. Over an hour was consumed in the discussion of the question of salarics, and it was finally decided to allow the Grand Master \$1,000, the Grand Receiver \$1,000 and the Grand Receiver \$2,000 per annum. The Committee on Laws recommended a few minor changes in the Constitution and By-Laws. This afternoon was set for the discussion of the question of representation, an effort being made to cut down the expenses of the Grand Lodge meeting by cutting down the number of representatives. A motion was made to reconsider the vote taken yesterday on the question of reducing the minimum initiation fee from \$9 to \$7, but it was lost, and the fee remains as decided on yesterday at \$7.

In yesierday afternoon's meeting nothing of unusual importance was done. The position of medical examiner was made an elective one. The proposition to change the meeting-place of the Grand Lodge from \$t. Louis was rejected. The committee on the Upchurch Monument recommended that the monument be accepted from the association and that it be dedicated between May I and May 16. The proposition to erect an A. O. U. W. hall was rejected. An appropriation of \$1,000 was made for the benefit of disabled members.

Hospital This Morning. 8. Birch, a member of Prim

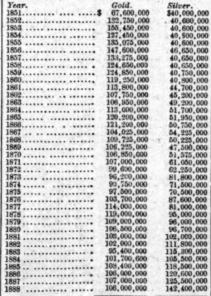
West's minstrels, stabbed in his stomach on Feb-Twelfth and Olive streets. He was in bad Twelfth and despairing of recovery, took this health, and despairing of recovery, took this means of relieving himself of his agony. He was demented from suffering. When his condition was

discovered he was removed to the City Hos-pital, where he died at 2:20 o'clock this morn-ing. He was a well known minstrel and lived in Brooklyn, where his wife now is. He was 35 years old.

A LABOR OF LOVE.

How the Greatest of Almanacks is Gotter Up. Mr. Joseph Whitaker, F. S. A., of London rhose famous "Almanack" has become indispensable, possesses a singularly fine library, comprising upward of 20,000 volumes, many of them of rare antiquity and interest Whitaker's life, and in the spacious building which he has attached to his fine oid fashioned house at Enfield as a depository for his literary treasures, the greater portion of his life is spent. The wonderful almanack, which has grown year by year, until it is now nearly double its original size, is a labor of love to its compiler, who considers no expenditure of trouble or research too great to devote to the task of rendering it absolutely complete and trustworthy. Every year has seen the addition of some one or more new features, and it is difficult to suggest any information of general utility that "Whitaker's Almanack" does not contain. Mr. Whitaker is the father of several clever children, some of whom assist him in the preparation of the unique work which has made his name a household word. Whitaker's life, and in the spacious building

Statement of the annual production of gold and silver in the world from 1851 to 1889, inclusive:



From the Lancet.

For several months past a violent cholers epidemic has raged in and around Bagdad. Herr Somekh, headmaster of the school of the Herr Somekh, headmaster of the school of the Israelite Alliance in that city, describes the frightful state of things there in a report to the alliance thus: "As soon as it became known that the terrible disease was the cholera everybody tried to escape from the infection as quickly as possible. The panic was indescribable. Within two days two-thirds of the Jews had left the city, fieeing at random and settling in the first village they could find. The Christians did the same, and the Mahommedans, despite their well-known fatalism, could not escape the general panic, and sought asfety in flight. The city presents a disconsolate aspect; the streets are empty, one dares not venture out; the only thing to be seen is the endless row of hearses, which the paid drivers accompany to the cemetery. One sees neither tears nor other signs of grief. Cruel, inszorable death has quenched the source of tears; the people have lost almost all feeling. Our feliow-believers have suffered proportionately more than the rest of the population. Death has pursued them everywhere, and has raged terribly among them. There is not a family that has not to lament the death of one of its members. The rich, as well as the poor, have been terribly tried, and many of the dead had to lie for days unburied in the fields because there was nobody to bury them. At this moment 20,000 Jews are camping out in a mero desert some hours' walk from the city, scorohed by a tropical sun, in want of the means of life, harassed by robbers, boys and girls stolen from them, women violated—never, in short, has an already very unhappy population suffered such misery before. In the city the sick die for vant of care, and numerous families have gone for whole days without food. The poor, who no longar knew to whom to turn, have died literally of hunger." This heart-rending report has been completely confirmed in answer to inquiries in the most competent quarter, with the addition that the epidemic, which had abated a little toward the end of October, was raging aga Israelite Alliance in that city, describes the

PRESIDENT INGALLS' PLANS.

Earnings and Prospects of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway.

RICHMOND, Va., Feb. 13 .- President Ingalis of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad says it is part of the plan of the company in availing themselves of the franchises recently granted them by the General Assembly of Virginia to establish lines of steamers between Newpor News and New York and Liverpool. They also proposed to build several branch roads through Virginia. Mr. Ingalls says the net earnings of the system for the fiscal year will earnings of the system for the instal year win reach \$7,000,000, and could have been made to reach \$10,000,000 if the facilities were at hand to handle the business tendered them. The line, he says, was never in as good condition before. Two years ago there were seventy-three trestle bridges on the road and to-day thera is but one, and an iron structure is soon to be put up at this point.

BALTIMORE, Md., Feb. 13 .- Arrangements have been perfected for the extension of the system of roads connecting with the Monon gahela River Railroad and the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad at Clarksburg, generally known as the Camden system. The road from Clarksburg to Weston and from Weston to Buckhannon will be ready to operate by June 1. The road from Weston to Braxton Courthouse will be in operation by October 1 and the road from Buckhannon to the Gauly River is expected to be completed this year, making an aggregate of about one hundred and seventy-five miles of roads connecting with the Baltimore & Ohio Road at Clarksburg, and penetrating all the central portion of West Virginia. These roads are all consolidated now under the name of the West Virginia & Pittsburg Railroad Co., which furnishes a direct line down to valley of the Mononrashela River gahela River Railroad and the Baltimore & down the valley of the Monongahela River over the connections of the Baltimore & Ohio Road to Pittburg, making a direct line through West Virginia to Pittsburg. These roads are being built under arrangement with the Baltimore & Ohio Road, which will make them a part of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad system.

CHICAGO, Feb. 13 .- A dispatch from Indianapolis says: Sands and Peirce, trustees of dianapolis, Decatur & Western Railway, re-

Mobile, Jackson & Kansas City Road. MOBILE, Ala., Feb. 13 .- Citizens of Mobile yesterday completed a \$250,000 subscription to the preferred stock of the Mobile, Jackson & Kansas City Railroad, the amount needed to secure the building of the road from Mobile to Jackson, Miss., in one year from date.

Millionaires Who Dress Economically. From the New York WORLD.

Mrs. Hetty Green has onjoyed the reputation dressed millionaire who wanders within the precincts of Wall street, and any one who has seen her and made a comparison mentally with the appearance of a mechanic's wife going to market Saturday night is convinced that her reputation is well deserved. Russell Sage wears inexpensive clothes, but they are not only neat but usually have the appearance of being recently purchased. The only millionaire rival Mrs. Green has in point of shabblness is old Joe Robinson, who was one of the Contractors engaged in the construction of the Union Pacific Railroad and is said to be worth \$4,000,000. He was down in Wall street yesterday progressing along the thoroughfare with the assistance of his crutches, as the genial old fellow is lame, dressed in an old sait of gray clothes and without an overcoat. He doesn't war any overcoat because it represents an expenditure of money he is not willing to make. His whole outfit, including hat and boots, would not command \$2.00 at any well-regulated pawnshop. He is one of the few stingy millionaires who are perfectly goodnatured in their stinginess. He is not cross or crabbed, but greets sverybody he knows with the utmost geniality. He and Sidney Dillon are good friends, but neither the arguments of Mr. Dillen aer of any one else causpur him on to invest money in a wardrobe. The story is told of his seeing a friend on the street not long ago in conversation with a gentleman whom he did not know. He went up to the two men and was about to speak, when the man who was a stranger to him turned and said he was scrry, but he had no small change. The friend explained the situation, although somewhat embarrassed, and the stranger extended profuse apelogies to the millionaire whom he had mistaken for beggar. dressed millionaire who wanders within the

Nathan Carey, who was arrested in this city on a charge of steeling a pair of mules in St. Clair County, Ill., was taken in charge by theriff John Bhardania

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March 1.

Northwest Corner Seventh and Olive Streets.

member of a colony of farmers from those owns known as English settlements in Northeastern Pennsylvania. "For time out of mind they-have had charms for the dispersion of warts much more simple, and without even the suggestion of physical pain, and they have the most implicit faith in their efficacy. "For instance if a person with warts on his hands will write down the number of them on the band of a tramp's hat without the tramp knowing it, he will carry the warts away with him—that is, they gradually disappear from the person's hands and appear on those of the tramp. By cutting a noteh on a green elder sick for every wart a person may have, rubbing the sick on every wart, and then burying it in the barnyard until it rots, the warts may be cured. Warts may also be cured by taking a black snall, rubbing it on all the warts at night, and impaling the snall on a thorn bush, repeating the process nine successive nights, by which time both the warts and the snalls will be shriveled up. Another way to get rin of warts is for the person to see a funeral pass unexpectedly, wherever he may be, and as it passes rub the warts quickly and repeat the words: 'Warts and corpses pass away and never more return.' Green peas may also be used to advantage in taking off warts. Let the afflicted person take as many peas as he has warts and tonch each wart with a different pea. He must then warp each pea in a separate piece of paper and bury them secretly in the shade of an ash tree or under a hazel bush. If peas are not in season, and the person with warts does not care to try the efficacy of any of the above-named charmes, let him select as many pobbles as he has warts. Sewing them up in a small bag, he must take them to where four roads cross and throw the bag over his left shoulder. This charm will never be resorted to, however, by persons who have no maliciousness in their hearts, for if, by chance, any other person should find the bau, and open is the warts will appear on his hand.

"Warts are not the scene and singles folk ha

also forced to retire before spelis that are put upon them by these charms. To drive away a wen, take a common snake, hold it by the head and tail and draw it backward and forward ine times over the wen. Then cork the snake in a bottle and bury it. If that fails the patient must not repine, but simply wait until the riext May day. Rise early in the morning of that day before the sun has disturbed the daw. Go to a graveyard, and, by passing the hand three times from head to foot over the grave, collect the dew that lies on the grave of the last young person who was buried in the yard. If the victim of the wen is a woman the grave must-be that of a man, and vice versa. Apply

STRANGE CURES FOR WARTS.

Remedies That Are Far Ahead of Mark
Twain's Red-Hot Needle Cure.

From the Chicago Heraid.

"If Mark Twain's prescription for curing warts by burning with a red-hot needle should be recommended to a Lancashire, Yorkshire, Cornish or Devonshire farmer, or any of his peasant neighbors, it would be received with ridicule," said a native of Cornwall, now a member of a colony of farmers from those owns known as English sattiaments in North-

Said to Be a Defaulter.

Baltimonz, Md., Feb. 13.—A report is in general circulation to-day that the manager here of a European steamship line who recently sailed for Europe is a defaulter to a large amount. It is said that he took with him a woman not his wife. The last named it is said, has abandoned the former elegant home and is being cared for by friends. It is said also that the wife is made almost insane by the course of her husband, and that by the advice of counsel she declines to make any statement for publication.

Heavy Gale at Sea.

BALTIMORE, Md., Feb. 13 .- The steamship Domira, which arrived here to-day, satisf

LETTER FROM A LEPER. The Victim Gives Some Curious Facts About

from a farewell letter of a leper in Molokal to a relative in that city: "This is one of the

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 1890.

AMUSEMENTS TO NIGHT.

OLYMPIC-Wilson Barrett. PEOPLE's-"The Suspect." POPE's-Hanlon's "New Fantasma. STANDARD-"Humpty Dumpty."

Weather forecast for twenty-four hours, commencing at 8 a.m. to-day, for Missouri: Fair, except in southern portion; local rains; slightly warmer: southerly winds.

Weather forecast for twenty-four hours commencing at 8 a. m. to-day, for St. Louis: Fair: warmer.

Do the Prohibitionists of Missouri range themselves on the side of the lawless elements of society?

THE protection of the city from loss on account of the failure of the Municipal Electric Lighting Co. tofulfill its contracts is the first duty of the city authorities.

SENATOR GORMAN has an attack of the Russian grip, but he is not suffering half as much from it as the Democratio party of Maryland is suffering from the Gorman grip.

THE Democrats in the House have the right on their side in the debate on the rules, but the Republicans will have the ing its notes of hand. Some color of truth might, not of right.

THE beauty of the picture which offered each want advertiser in next Sunday's POST-DISPATCH is enhanced by the assurance that the advertiser will get it. No "rain checks" will be issued in place of the picture.

THE morning papers first learned tha their alleged earthquake which occurred on Monday was not an earthquake from the Wednesday Post-Dispatch. The public and the morning papers get their news from the same source.

THE Government of Portugal is giving licanism by suppressing popular meetings with swords and bayonets. Republicanism thrives under such suppressive measure prompted by the fear of rulers.

NELLIE BLY has reached they topmost pinnacle of fame. Her name has been applied to a difficult billiard shot. It is a round-the-table shot and the man who makes it must be as much of a daisy in billiard playing as NELLIE is in traveling.

Ir is to be hoped that the methods of the Lathrop anti-sgloon crusaders will not be adopted throughout the State as the misguided, trusaders expect. Punishing violation's of law by violence is practical mobocracy, and would bring disgrace and disaster upon Missouri.

An attempt was made in the Dominion Parliament yesterday to abolish the duty en American corn imported for use by distillers, but without success. The retention of any duty on corn shows that the Dominon Government is nearly half a century behind the times.

IT will not increase the love of SHER-MAN. BUTTERWORTH and MCKINLEY for FORAKER and HALSTEAD to learn that the Wood ballot-box forgery was paid for out of the Republican campaign fund. Nor will it decrease the general public's distrust of the Republican party of Ohio.

AS CHAIRMAN of the Democratic State Committee JOHN O'DAY would be secure in his position as vice-president of the Frisco Railway. But while it is bad enough to make a railroad a party machine it is far worse to make a party a railroad machine. Yet this is what the O'Day-Vest-Clardy-Downing combination proposed to do.

THE sentence of two years' imprisonment seems severe punishment for the hare-brained exploit of the Duke of Orleans. But under the mask of patriotism he has indulged in a piece of buncombe, the undoubted object of which was the disturbance and overthrow, if possible, of the French Republic. Perhaps the punishment would teach the Duke the valuable lesson of obedience to the law.

in an interview in a Baltimore pa ex-President CLEVELAND strenuou poates ballot reform. But Mr.

ND's idea of the reform necessary to beyond the adoption of the

tralian ballot system. This is excellent as far as it goes, but as Gov. ABBETT of New Jersey stated in his inaugural address the secret ballot does not prevent bribery. The corruption fund must be abolished and this can only be done by the limitation of election expenditures and the compulsory fling of sworn statements of expenses by candidates and campaign committees.

THE PROMISED DIVORCE.

If President WINSLOW of the 'Frisch road adheres to his declared purpose and is sustained by the directors in making such changes as will take his road out of Missouri politics he will render a great service to the State and to the Democratic party, as well as to the owners of his road. The recent revelations in the Post-Dis-

PATCH with reference to the close connection between certain personal conflicts among the railroad officials and certain other personal conflicts within the Democratic State Committee show very plainly that the close personal identification of the business organization with the political one is becoming more and more burdensome and demoralizing to both. It has been for many years past a scandal to both and an offense to good citizens of all parties. The spectacle of the 'Frisco's Vice-President and its attorneys openly bossing the organization of the dominant party, ruling the party's conventions and Legislatures with railroad favors, overawing State officials and judges on the bench with displays of political power, has cut down the towering Democratic majority to a narrow and doubtful margin. That it has not benefited the owners of the road, their own balance sheets have already told them.

The behavior of the Democratic leaders throughout this long and intimate connection of the party with the railroad, has shown that they cared for the party and its principles only so far as they could use both for their personal ends, and that to gain those ends they were equally ready to use the party in bossing the railroad or the railroad in bossing the party. A complete severance of the two organizations is best for both.

A PAINFUL RUMOR.

Financial circles in St. Louis have recently been pervaded by a rumor that a morning newspaper concern facetiously named the Daily Jonesey by a morning rival is floundering among the breakers of debt and impecuniosity, its troubles being, as Micawber would say, not wholly unconnected with the necessity of renewmajority in the vote. It is a question of is given to this rumor by the following statement in the columns of the St. Joseph Herald:

It is reported that the St. Louis Jon financially embarrassed, and that "Col." JONES has appealed to the National Democrat le Committee for help. The man he was al leged to have seen first was Calvin S. Brice in whose praise Col. Jones was very fulsome during that gentleman's purchase of legisle tive cattle in Ohio. The trouble with Jones that he is too fresh. Although he has been lissouri but a short time, he has a the role of dictator in the Democratic party, and has thereby incurred the displeasure of a large portion of the party in this State.

We do not think the Herald would give publicity to any such statement unless it had evidence of its truth. We are awfully the work. In London, where newspapers are sorry to hear the sad news, and we hope satisfied to print the news, this direct interthat the journal in question may succeed in obtaining renewals of its notes as they fall due.

REFERRING to the outrage upon a citizen of Indiana at Aberdeen, Miss., a Chicago Republican organ says: "If there "is no United States statute under which "these scoundrels can be brought to jus-"tice, then it is time there was one." A United States statute providing for the trial of citizens of Chicago in the United States Courts and for their punishment by the Federal authorities for robberies and breaches of the peace committed against citizens of other States sojourning in Chicago, would be the very statute the organ is clamoring for, but it does not seem to know it. Mississippi's laws afford citizens of other States precisely the same protection and remedies afforded to her own citizens. No State has done or car do more than that. If the outraged Indianian is not willing to trust the Mississippi courts, he can sue the corporation of Aberdeen for damages in the Federal Courts. That is one advantage he has over the inhabitants. What more can he ask, and what more can any statute do for his protection?

THE Rev. BEN DEERING has been often insulted and abused during his long and ill-requited labors in behalf of prohibition, and it was hardly to be expected that some savor of the old Adam would not at times overcome in him the meekness of the martyr, in spite of his sacred calling. But we are truly sorry to record the fact that he has appeared at Lathrop as an open and avowed supporter of mob violence and defiance of lawful authority. The reform which has to depend upon such means is a shameless fraud, and the reformers who adopt and pretend to justify such means are following in the path which recently led certain Chicago

PRESIDENT WINSLOW, General Manager MORRILL and Vice-President O'DAY of the 'Frisco appear to have different views of the proper method of running a railway. The two first-mentioned gentlemen think it should be run on a business basis and not as a political machine. All Missourians are familiar with the opinions and practices of O'DAY with regard to railway tics. The only ques-now is whether the revail in the Frisco

Anarchists to the gallows.

'Frisco management is to run the Democratic party of Missouri in connection with the railroad.

A SHOCK similar to that occasioned by an earthquake was felt by residents of South St. Louis on Monday evening. The morning dailies mentioned it the next day, but without investigation and with stupid disregard of the usual phenomena of earthquakes, ascribed it to that cause. The Post-Disparch started an investigation which resulted in the discovery that the shock was occasioned by an explosion of giant powder in the quarries at Falling Springs. Thus the queer earthquake of our morning contemporaries is expunged from the scientific record by the Post-DISPATCH.

Is THERE not danger that the members of the School Board will devote more attention to their own schemes than is consistent with the proper care of the school interests? The people of St. Louis are far more concerned in having good schools economically conducted than in the success or failure of the petty ambitions and plans of the directors. They have had about enough squabbling over the division of official spoils in the board.

A FINE sample of extreme improbability s the Berlin rumor that Prince HENRY will, with the consent of the Emperor, attempt to re-establish imperialism in Brazil. A German Protestant would be even a more unpopular leader in Brazil than Catholic MAXIMILIAN was in Mexico. and the Berlin Court is more interested in re-establishing Bourbonism in France than in Brazil.

Two American Noblemen

From the Philadelphia Inquirer. A few years ago a very warm friend and ad-mirer of the ex-Speaker called on Mrs. Randall and informed her that he had determined to make a provision for Mr. Randall for the benefit of his family to the extent of \$75,000. Te did this, he said, after having learned that he was a comparatively poor man. He had een in public life for nearly thirty years, and was then as poor as when he began. He, therebove sum as indicated. He requested Mrs. Randall to broach the subject to her husban in her own way, and hoped that he would get

favorable reply.

Some days after he saw Mrs. Randall. She informed him that Mr. Randall would not listen to any such proposition at all and restances would he accept. This has been Mr. Randall's lavariable attitude concerning all benefactions for his benefit. The gentleman was very much surprised at the reply, as he that he might be permitted to do this deserved kindness. The gentleman has since illed and left an estate worth several millions. He remained up to the time of his death a de roted friend of the distinguished Pennsyl-

Government by Newspaper.

New York Letter to London Sunday Times. New York is now governed by a newspaper, Pedestal and subscriptions for the World's Fair Guarantee Fund; it fed thousands of newsboys during the holidays and gave 20,000 completing the Washington Memorial Arch York clean streets. Every day a coupon is published upon which complaints are recorded and sent to the World office. Comdissioners verify these reports and hand them over to the Street-Cleaning Department, erence of a journal with tions and public works can hardly be under-stood. But it works admirably here, where we have literally no other effective govern-

From the Kansas City Journal. Gov. Francis is accounted a practical politiclan. We admit his right to beat other Democrate in his race for political success, but he has no right to come to Kansas City and make the interests of the people subservient to his schemes as a partisan. If he keeps posted he must know that it has taken that the taken that it has taken the second posted he in a divorce suit is an irishman. must know that it has taken three years of hard work to lift the police department out of the mire of inefficiency and the demoralization of fee grabbing. The fee business has been absolutely killed, and wise management can now rapidly advance the efficiency of the force. The Governor will be responsible for any retrograde movement which may comfrom the political manipulation of the police ree. It is to be hoped that he does not re quire his appointees to do any such political

Their Mothers-in-Law Always Welcome.

From the Virginia City Enterprise Among the Piutes it is always the father-in law that makes the trouble. Every married Piute is always glad of a visit from his mother-in-law. He welcomes her with his broadest grin. The arrival of a mother-inhad only one animal. He halls her appear of wood upon her willing old back, sends her nto town with his wife (elmilarly packed) to peddle out the fuel and bring back to him s supply of money for his favorite game of poker. The Piute father-in-law is of no use as a wood packer, nor will he gather grass seeds or pinenuts.

MEN OF MARK.

P. T. Barnum says that 1,500,000 people at tended his show in London.

BISHOP HUGH MILLER THOMPSON denies the atement that he began life as a bootblack. GEN. MAHONE is anxious to receive a paying deplomatic position from the State Depart-RUSSELL SAGE prides himself on keeping on

hand more ready money than any other man in the world. MR. W. S. GILBERT has his house in London

elaborately fitted with electric apparatus for lighting, etc. BILLY MCGARRAHAN, the famous proprieto of the Panoche Grande Mexican land grant,

on hand at Washington again, pert and chipper THE Duke of Palmetta, a peer of Portugal, has offered the whole of the money derived from his property during the year for the pur-pose of establishing coast defenses.

THE Hon. Richard Guenther, the new Con sul-General to Mexico, expects to leave for his post of duty March 3, traveling leisurely in the private car of a railroad manager.

JOHN D: ROCKEFELLER, who is worth ions 100,000,000, says the first money he

Railroad, and whether, if it does, the had was 25 cents, which he carned by working for a farmer so that he could go to the circus. MANY efforts have been made in Washington to get Secretary Ruak into a game of poker. The rumor has gone forth that he plays a very stiff hand, but no one has yet had The System Which Is Nourishing chance to verify it.

BARON ROTHSCHILD, the Paris, banker, lives in fear of the Commune. His cellars are almost impregnable, and his pictures and ewels are protected in such a way that the most grasping mob could not reach them. jewels are pr

WOMEN OF THE WORLD. SIR EDWIN ARNOLD calls the Japanese women

MISS CALDWELL has not renewed her matrimonial engagement with Prince Murat, as re-cently reported.

MRS. MARY SCHENLEY of Pittsburg recently gave lands to that city valued at \$500,000 for public park purposes. THE Misses Emily and Georgiana Hill of Westminster Bridge, London, England, have opened a school for women journalists.

MISS MARIE LOUISE BALDWIN, a young colored woman, has been appointed print of the Agassiz School, Cambridge, Mass. MRS. STANLEY BROWN (Molly Garfield) is living in Washington with her husband, and is a very sensible, interesting young woman.

MARIE ANNE COLETHIER, a poor Canadian girl living in Montreal, has become an heiress to about \$60,000 through the death of her MME. BONAPARTE RATAZZI, the granddaugh-

ter of Lucien Bonaparte, is now 70 years of age, but is still a woman of fascinating presonce and great charm of manner. A WELL-DRESSED, comely, and apparently

office at Bridgeport, Conn., and wanted to sell her body after death for dissection for \$100. ABOUT a month ago the Princess of Wales and a sealskin jacket made for her lapdog in

Paris, and the important fact was cabled over half the civilized world. It was not of any profound degree of importance, but the re-sult is amusing. One of the most prominent furriers in New York made twelve jackets for dogs immediately on seeing the news in the paper, and they were all sold within two weeks.

THE PROPIE'S FORUM.

The Dust Nulannes

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

As we know of no way of getting satisfaction, perhaps by publishing this the influence of your worthy paper will suppress a perpet prinkling, especially on a night like last Tuesday evening. At 8 o'clock p. m. the streets were so thick with dust that it was bad enough to choke a person with sweeping. It is bad enough that people must swailow this disagreeable dust, and worse when there are thousands upon thousands of dollars' worth of merchandise ruined. If necessary we will be the first to subscribe for a fund to sprinkle the streets peofore they are swept. Fours truly, St. Louis, Feb. 15.

M. Landau.

To the Editor of the Post-Disp Having carefully read the valuable article on real estate values and the advancement of entral and western real estate in our city, as published in your issue of yesterday, and realizing the very interesting features of the same, to the larger and better class of our community, and in appreciation of what such articles are worth in the progress and growth of our city. I address you this letter in appreciation of the article.

I have long fet that our city's interest could be better prompted with an occasional article our leading nears atmiller to the one in last

e better promoted with an occasional article our leading papers similar to the one in last unday's Post-Dispatch than through any simply refers to owners and dealers in the real estate transactions without any appearance of an advertisement for the aggrandizement of real estate men and brokers, and I am satisfied that the isrger portion of our community would be more interested m an article of this kind through your very valuable paper than in the same amount of news matter in any other shape; and as an architect having the city's interest at large with an extensive personal interest in the western portion of our city, I address this letter in my appreciation for same, and trust this article St. Louis, Feb. 10.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDE

A .- Little Rock is the larger of the cities SUBSCRIBER.—There is no difference be tween the English and French million. O. Z.—Inquire at either of the libraries for works on palmistry and fortune-telling. DISCIPULUS.-O'Fallon Park is situated on the west side of Broadway, near Bircher

H. Z. M.—The Congressional Record, published in Washington, reports the proceeding of Congress in full. H. H.—The word "dumb" is not a proper synonym for stupid, although it is sometimes slangily used in this sense.

sianglly used in this sense.

UNION.—A ring which leaves a sore, red mark on a lady's finger whenever worn is very probably not pure gold.

J. E. L., Belleville.—A newspaper of January 4, 1800, has no market value, but a collector might be willing to purchase it.

NO POLITICIAN.—The Collector and assessor of Water Rates is appointed by the Mayor, subject to the approval of the Council.

A. W. N.—The records of the Marchante'

A. W. N.—The records of the Merchants' Exchange do not give the lowest price at which cash corn sold within forty years. Tipt.—The expression, "To-morrow is Saturday," is grammatically incorrect. To-morrow will be Saturday is the proper form.

P.A. R.—Your invitation to scrutings all the dictionaries for the purpose of deciding so important a problem must be respectfully desilined.

nexations cago is claimed.

OLD READER.—The theater you mention herefectly respectable, and you can without the slightest impropriety take your wife to a performance. Mask.—There is no law against wearing a mask or disguise on the streets on Valentine's night, further than a prohibition against ap-pearing in a dress concealing the sex.

ANNETTE.—1. When a gentleman pays a lady's fare in a street car no acknowledgmen is necessary. 2. When a gentleman escort Paradoxical.

From the Terre Haute Express.

Wickwire: "You say you are acquainted with Brown?"

Yabsley: "He is a very particular friend of mine." mine."
Wickwire: "If he is a friend of yours, he surely can't be very particular."

We publish in this issue the prospectus of the Sundar Post-Disparon, that newsy, wide-awake St. Louis daily. It is a good, clean family newspaper. The Family Newspaper.

A Very Dry Bumerist. From the Chicago Herald.

Is William Nye's break with W
Elley due to jealousy? Elley seems
"dryer" humorist than Bill is.

MR. W. C. STEL

ROYAL DRONES.

Republican Sentiments in Europe.

An Estimate of the Wealth Consumed by These Idle Pensioners.

Report of the Parnell Commission to Par liament-The Social Question in Germany -Portuguese Republicans Condemn the Action of the Government-Comment of the French Press on the Sentence of the Duke of Orleans-Stanley's Letter to an American Friend-The Proposed Ship Canal-Chili Subsidizes Steamship Companies-Topics Discussed in the Canadian Commons-British Corvette Ashere -Foreign News.

LONDON. Feb. 13 .- The enormous fortune left by the late Duke of Montpensier has furnished grounds for another Socialist outery against the continuance of a system of aris ocracy having no other aim and serving no higher purpose than the personal enjoymen of the members of that exclusive class and vigorous agitation of the matter may be expected. Nor is this feeling confined to the people designated as Socialists. The Republican element in every European country is nourished int rapid growth and expansion by this very flagrant inequality in the distribu From the capital in the hands of merchants traders and investors in all the various enter prises the laborer derives his sustenance, but rom the millions locked up in the vaults of cions of families whose regnant rights ceased tries over which they ruled having long ince lost their nationality and in most cases their names, the people get nothing but the injustice which the possession of those mililons enables these royal, princely and ducal idlers to inflict. It is estimated that there is n the hands of kings without thrones, Princes without principalities and Dukes without duchies, many of them indeed without countries, and who are never mentioned except in the pages of the "Almanach de except in the pages of the "Almanach de Gotha," wealth sufficient to pay the public debt of every Power in Europe, yet nobody ever hears of one of these fellows parting with a franc except upon the turn of a card or the "wheel of fortune" at Monte Carlo. Not long ago that royal loafer, ex-King Milan of Servia, lost the pairry sum of 300,000 francs, and was for some days thereafter in doubt whether to commit suicide or recoup himself by making a raid upon the Treasury at Belgrade. Unfortunately he was persuaded to forego his snieldal intention, and he will probably succeed in begging enough to make good his losses.

The British Commons.

LONDON, Feb. 13 .- The report of Judges Hannen, Day and Smith, the Special Commis sion appointed to investigate the charge made by the Times against the Parnellit members of the House of Commons, was laid upon the table in the House to day by the Rt. Hon. Henry Matthews, Secretary of State for Home Affairs. Mr. Smith's statement yesterday is inter-

this session.

The News reports that the Government has given even more distinct intimation that free given even more distinct intimation that free education is completely abandoned. Mr. J. Henniker Heaton, Member for Can-teroury, desires the appointment of a special committee to look into the expediency of penny postage for the whole British Empire and America.

and America.

The report of the commission occupies 162 pages. Each imember of the House against whom charges were made is treated separately. The judges find that the speeches made by many of the Parnellite members were intended to bring about the separation of Ireland from England, and that the speeches of others, in view of the state of the country, were calculated to foment crime, as the speakers must have known.

. The Proposed Ship Canal,

PANAMA, Feb. 12 .- The work of the comm sioners is rapidly approaching completion and they will immediately leave for New Orleans, whence they will proceed to New York by way of the Western States and thence return home to present their report. All sorts of rumors are in the air as to what will be done in the event of that report being favorable, but the consensus of opinion is that the choice of plans will lie between that of M. Vandereau and that of Col. A. L. Rives. The former is too well known to need description. The latter consists of a sea level canal to Bahia, where it proposes to place the first lock at the same place where the excavations were begun for one under the Elifel contract, There would also be located a double lock at the rock cut in the same section of Bahia and from that point to Paraiso the distance would be covered by an interior lake. At the latter point, Paraiso, another lock would be placed, as well as one at Pedro Micguellan and one at Meraflores, from which last points, the suggestion is that there should be another sea-level canal to the end of the Pacific terminus.

Following are some of the additional features of this lattest plan, and that further distinguish it from Vandereau's: The Panama Railroad would curve to the east at Aherca Legato, and would pass through Culebra cut to the east of the canal, continuing in that direction into Panama. It would be remarked that under this plan, unlike that of Mr. Vandereau, the railroad would not cross the canal, being placed to the east of same from its departure in Colon to its terminus in Panama. Further, the level of the lake proposed under this arrangement being lover than that under Mr. Vandereau's plan there will not be so much submerged and consequently less property to be paid for, and, further, the work of changing the canal to a sea level would be cheaper when such an alteration may be effected. The estimate of the plan under discussion is about the same as that proposed by Mr. Vandereau, 500,000,000 france. return home to present their report. All sorts

The Canadian Parliament.

OTTAWA, Ontario, Feb. 13 .- Both the Behring Sea questions and the modus vivendi were connched upon in Parliament yesterday. Hon David Mills asked if the Government had seen published reports sent from Washington that the United States Government were preparing to police Behring Sea in order to prevent Danadians from sailing there. He said the Jovernment should give the protection to Canadians in this matter to which they had a

right.
Sir John Macdonaid stated that he had seen
the reports, but did not believe them. Negotiations were now being carried on between
the two governments as outlined in the speech
from the throne, and he hoped that at an
early date a satisfactory settlement would be
arrived at. arrived at.

Hon. Peter Mitchell asked the Government in reference to the modus vivendi, whether it was true that the home Government had not given any instructions to the British Minister at Washington in regard to the renewal and expiring of the modus vivendi. Sir Julian Pauncefote had stated as much in a recent interview.

Pauncefore had sented as that the facts in the interview were correct. No arrangements had been made and he could not say anything more on the subject at present.

PARIS, Feb. 13.—The Republican journals approve the sentence of two years' imprisonment imposed on the Duke of Orleans yesterday, and say that the manifestations made by the Orleanists precinds the possibility of a pardon for the Duke or a reduction of his sentence.

and that the country will declare that it ought not to exist.

The Figure acknowledges that the law has been applied moderately in the case, but expresses the hope that public opinion will insist upon the prisoner being pardoned.

The Fress declares its belief that the Duke must be pardoned.

Stanley to a Friend. New York, Feb. 13.—Henry M. Stanley, in a letter to Col. Thomas W. Knox of this city. after acknowledging the warm greeting which he is receiving from this side of the

which he is receiving from this side of the Atiantic, says:

"Africa is not a land to cause one to forget his friends, but rather emphasizes whatever happy impressions and memories of Europe we may have. She is exacting but not nakind. You see, I speak of Africa as a goddess. She intimates very clearly that what she has in store for her woyageurs is not to be compared with our richer and more cultivated sister, Europe. Therefore, I have been enabled to hold my friends very near my heart. Of course, the first thing to do is to fails the report for our almost completed work and this will keep me some months in Europe; then I shall think of seeking my friends. That will be a rare pleasure."

Emigration of Canadians to the States.

QUEBEC, Feb. 13 .- In the Legislative Assm night Mr. David, member fo Montreal East, moved for copies of the report made my Ambrose Choquette upon the emigration of French Canadians to the States and their repatriation. He spoke at great length, explaining by what means the Government could induce French Canadians to leave the States and return to Canada. Mr. McShane, member for Montreal Center, said it was nonsense to try to induce French Canadians to return to Canada. They went to the States to better themselves financially and as they evidently had succeeded, he thought it useless to try to persuade them to return.

The French Language in Manitoba.

By Telegraph to the Post-Disparch.
Winnered, Feb. 13.—The Manitoba Legisla are has decided to abotish the official use of the French language in this country by a vote the French language in this country by a vote of thirty to ten. The French speaking people are very indignant at the infringement on their constitutional right and will appeal the matter to a higher tribunal. There is likely to be serious difficulties between the races over this matter before it is settled, and more particularly if Fremier Greenway carries out his proposition of abolishing the Roman Catholic separate schools. Catholics are loud in their threats against the government.

A British Corvette Ashore.

ZANZIBAR, Feb. 13 .- The British corvett Conquest is ashore on the island of Pemba, thirty miles north of here. She dies in dangerous position.

The Conquest is a steel and iron vessel cased with wood. She is of 2,380 tons burden and her engines are of 2,670 horse power. She mounts fourteen guns.

TAMPICO, via GALVESTON, Feb. 13. -It is reorted that the contract for the opening of the Sabine Pass, who is said to promise its com pletion in two years. Surveyors are at work laying out a route from Tamploo to the bar for a ráliroad. The work on the bar will be begun on the completion of the road to San Luis Potosi.

LONDON, Feb. 13.—The Telegraph's Berlin tion the leading subject of the day. The State Council will immediately frame proposals for the consideration of the powers that are to meet in the conference. It is possible that in these propositions there will be an effort to fix a minimum rate of wages. The council is at-tended constantly by experts sent from differ-ent geographical districts of Germany.

Paris, Feb. 13 .- At a meeting of the Cabinet -day M. Spuller, Minister of Foreign Affairs Germany for France to take part in the labor conference to be held in Berlin, in accordance with the ideas expressed in the recent rescripts of Emperor William. The Cabinet decided that M. Spuller should sak for details as to the scope of the work of the conference before-replying to the invitation.

Crete. that many Judges and lawyers have resigned their judicial functions owing to the to send it. arbitrary order requiring legal proceedings in the courts to be conducted in the Turkish language and others are preparing to leave both the courts and the country.

Mr. Hirsch, the American Minister, the Porte has imprisoned in his own place Mouses Bey, the Kurdish Chief, who is charged with rob-LISSON, Feb. 13 .- Conservatives applaud the nergetic action of the Government in repress

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 13 .- At the request of

ing yesterday all attempts at disorder and see in it a demonstration that the state of discipline in the army puts an end to all appre-hensions of revolution. The Republican papers vehmently condemn the course of the Government.

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PANAMA, Feb. 4 .- The Chillan Governmen is resorting to the subsidy system to main-

The Steamer Trave.

LONDON, Feb. 13.—The steamer Trave from New York, February 5, arrived at Southampton at 10 a. m., to-day, and proceeded for Bremen.

The Sultan of Zanzibar. LONDON, Feb. 13.—A report is current here that the Sulten of Zanzibar is dead.

The well-known commission merchant and egg packer, Julius Vogeler, has joined the large number of other prominent business men who have decided to send the Post-DISPATCH to their customers in place of the Price Current or Market Reporter. His letter speaks to itself:

A Newspaper With the Market Report

EGG PACKER AND GEN'L COM'N MERCHANT, 12 AND 14 NORTH THIRD STREET, ST. LOUIS, Feb. 13, 1850. To the Editor of the Post-Dis

We appreciate your new idea of sending a newspaper as well as market report to our customers, and herewith hand you our maling list. We wish you success in your new departs.

Representing the Post-Distrator on 'Change, will be on the floor during business hours and will call on merchants who desire to make use of the Post-Distrator market reports. Tele-

GROWING STRONGER EVERY DAY.

Eloquent Indorsement of the "Post Disputch" and its Market Reports. Busidess men throughout the city are out-spoken in their praise of the market reports of the Post-Disparch. Messmore, Gannett & Co., well-known commission merchants, sent a batch of indersements to this office to-day, accompanied by the following letter, which shows what the firm thinks of the Post-Dis-

MESSNORE, GANNETT & Co.,
Commission Merchants, Ecom 511,
Chamber of Commerce,
Fr. Louis, Feb. 13, 1890.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:
Herewith find a few of the many letters we

are receiving concerning the appreciation of the Post-Dispatch as a market medium. Very Truly, MESSMORE, GANNET & Co. The letters from customers which accom

panied the above, read as follows.

Moscow Mills, Mo., Jan. 21. Mesers. Mesemore, Gannett & Co.: In reply to yours of the 20th, will say that we would prater the Post-Disparch to the reg-ular P. C., as it not only contains as good a market report, but containing the news of the day makes it more valuable.

We think the new move excellent C. L. BRANDES

MASCON MILLS, Mo., Feb. 2, 1890. Messrs. Messmore, Gannett & Co.: Replying to your favor of February 5, 1890, will say that we are more than pleased with the Post-Disparch, and think it a great im-provement over the old *Price Current*. C. & L. BRANDLE.

BALDWIN, Itl., Jan. 21, 1890.

Messrs. Messmore, Gannett & Co.: Your card of January 20 to hand and conwe will accept the DAILY POST-DISPATOR in preference to the Price Current, it is is for us to say. Thanking you for your kindness, We CAMBRLL & CARTER

Messrs. Messmore, Gannett & Co.: In reply to your card addressed to Mr. Cockell in regard to your sending us the Post-DISPATCH as a market report, would say the writer has taken the Post-Dispatch to get the

JERSEYVILLE, 111., Jan. 21, 1890.

benefit of its market report ever since I have been in business and consider it the best report we have, and of course, would consider it a favor to receive same, instead of Price Cur-

Messmore, Gannett & Co.;
Your postal received. As the P.-D. contains a good market report, and is a very good paper, I would prefer the same to the Price Current, and will be very thankful to you for

BOONVILLE, Jan. 21, 1890

QUEEN CITY, Mo., Feb. 7. lessmore, Gannett & Co. : I am in receipt of the Post-Disparch and must say that I like the change very much. Please accept my thanks for the same. I hope you may meet with the success you so justly merit. I think all shippers should appreciate

the favor.

ALPHA, Ill., Feb. 6, 1890 Messrs. Messmore, Gannett & Co.: With thanks I acknowledge the receipt of rent. I am well pleased with the change, as I besides the pleasure of reading a good, inde-

BARNETT, Ill., Jan. 23

Messmore, Gannett & Co.:
The Post-Disparch is a great improvement over the old Price Current. I like the change. FRED C. BARNETT

HAVANA, ILL., Jan. 21, 1890. ore, Gannett & Co.: Your Price Current of the 20th at hand and noted in reply. Would say we would prefer

PINCENETVILLE, Ill., Jan. 80, 1890. he Post-Dispat

daily Price Current and hope you will continue to send it.

J. S. MURPHY.

the POST-DISPATCH to the Circular or Dail

A BEAUTIFUL PICTURE. The Gift That Will Be Made to All "Want" Advertisers in the Next "Sunday Post-

'want' advertisement inserted in the SUN DAY POST-DISPATCH began last Sunday and met with universal approval. An opportunity to supply any want through the columns of a Sunday newspaper at the low rates charged for that class of business, and at the same time receive a beautiful engraying free, is a new departure in journalism, originated by the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH. The feeble effort of a morning sheet to imitate this venture met with a dismal failure, while the columns of the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH were taxed to accommodate the frush of advertisers. Next Sunday, as noticed elsewhere in these columns, the elegant engraving entitled "Hamlet and Ophelia" (a companion picture to "Faust and Marguerite") given away last Sunday) will be given free with every away.

Sunday) will be given free with every a tisement inserted in the want columns SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH. SUNDAY POST-DISPATCE.

To accommodate the public want ads will be received as late as 10:30 Saturday night. The SUNDAY POST-DISPATCE has perfected arrangements with the American Art Co., Eighth and Pine streets, to frame these pictures as less than half the prices usually saked for this class of work. A handsome oak frame can be obtained from the price in white some oak frame can be obtained in white and sliver, gold, bronze, etc., can be obtained at prices varying from \$1.00 upwards, and with every frame costing over \$1.00 will be

given an easel free.

Remember, there is no increase in prices for the "want ads"—the unusually low rates of the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH want columns remain the same as heretofore.

Haueisen & Lang, leading commission mer-chants and dealers in fruit and produce, sent the following letter to the Post-Disparch office this morning. It will be seen that they have not acted hastily but have investigated before they made the change to which they refer:

HAUBISEN & LANG,
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS.
AND DEALERS IN FRUITS AND PRODUCES,
1016 NORTH THIRD STREET,
ST. LOUIS, MO., Feb. 13, 1800.
TO BE Editor of the Post Disputch:
We have been vatabling your new depart

EAST ST. LOUIS.

A PLAN DISCUSSED TO IMPROVE SOME OF THE ST. CLAIR COUNTY BOADS.

Many of the Highways Impassable in Bad Weather—The Viaduct Cases in Court— Organization of the Treubund National Lodge at Belleville—Church and Social Events in St. Clair County

The miserable condition of the country roads leading into East St. Louis is a matter that has long bothered the business men of the city, as well as the farmers of the neighboring section, and various plans to remedy the difficulty have been talked of at different times, but until now there has never been a really good prospect of success. The enormous expense of putting the roads in good condition has long stood in the way of their improvement, and is even at the present time a barrier that can only be overcome by the most enterprising spirit in dealing with it. The roads from Collinsville, Prairie du Pont and Caseyville to East St. Louis are the principal ones used, and to them the atten-tion of the Board of Supervisors has been called, but without avail. Matters have come to such a pass that some action, the farmers say, will have to be taken, and they are preparing for another and more deter effort in that direction. It is said that such a condition this winter that at times was impossible to get through with

y wagon, and the Prat-Pont road is but little rie du Pont rond is but little better. The farming land in and about Prairie du Pont, as well as Caseyville and Collinsville, is very rich, and would be the most valuable in the county but for its inaccessibility in bad weather. One of the large land-owners in Prairie du Pont is Hon. Edward Rutz of Chicago, who formerly lived in this city. Joseph A. Kurnes of East St. Louis and Peter Godin, Sr., of Centerville Station are also large owners. These three gentlemen

Joseph A. Kurnes of East St. Louis and Peter Godin, Sr., of Centerville Station are also large owners. These three gentlemen HELD A CONFERENCE
this morning at Mr. Kurnes' office in this city for the express purpose of devising a way to improve the Prairie du Pontroad and put it in first-class shape for travel. They arrived at the conclusion that it could be done to the best advantage by macadamizing the road from Frairie du Pont to the Columbia tornpike, which is rock bedded, and they will endeavor to secure the co-operation (the other land owners in carrying out the p. 1. They are of the opinion that the we to can be done at a cost that will not be a great hardship upon any individual if all interested and to be benefited will lend their aid. The people of Caseyville, Collinsville and Canteen and the farmers who use the roads between these places have already arranged for a meeting to be held at Canteen. At this meeting it is expected that definite steps toward the improvement of the roads will be taken, and it is very likely that the farmers of Prairie du Pont can be prevailed upon to co-operate with them. The improvements contemplated will cost several hundred thousand dollars, but it is thought that with the assistance of the Board of Superviscas they can be made.

Judge Thompson heard the arguments of counsel yesterday in the East St. Louis visdout cases and rendered what might be termed a qualified decision. He overruled the objections to the assessment, but cut down the assessment roll from \$55,000 to \$45,000. This was not unexpected, as it has been claimed for some time that the assessment was greater than necessary by at least \$10,000, as the viaduct, it is said, will not cost more than \$45,000.

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more than \$45,000.

Next Wednesday, the 19th, is the day set by
Judge Hay for the confirmation of the appointments of election judges and clerks made
by the East St. Louis Commissioners.
George R. Wendling will lecture at the
Presbyterian Church on the 5th prox. This
will be his second appearance before an East
St. Louis audience.

The Sons of Veterans celebrated Lincoln's
litthday by giving an entertainment last

The Sons of Veterans celebrated Lincola's birthday by giving an entertainment last night at Launiz's Hail. The programme presented was excellent and pleased the big audience in attendance.

The Uniformed Rank of the Catholic Knights of America have elected J. C. Kelley, President, J. T. Sullivan, Vice-President; J. J. Driscoll, Secretary, and J. M. Murphy, Treasurer.

A meeting will be held Saturday evening in School District No. 2 to discuss plans for the new school bouse, to build which the citizens of the district recently voted \$5,000 in bonds.

Belleville.

The Treubund Grand Lodge completed its session yesterday. The principal business of yesterday's meeting was the organization of a National Grand Lodge. The third Tuesday in February of each year was fixed as the date for the annual meetings of the National Grand Marshall; Albert Peickel of St. Louis, National Grand Grand Inner Guard; Jacob Leiner of Belleville National Grand Christian Ulrich of St. Louis, National Grand Trustees. September I of each year was set apart as a holiday in honor of the foundation of the order on that day in 1888.

A brick building in Lebanon, occupied by the general store of H. J. Blank, was burned yesterday morning. The building, which was owned by L. B. French of Edwards ville was worth \$6,000, and was insured for \$6,000. The building of Louis Reiman adjoining was damaged to the extent of \$5,000. The fire originated in the basement of the French building, supposably from the heating apparatus. Almost the entire population of Lebanon went to the scene of the fire, and this opportunity was taken advantage of by thieves to rob several dwellings. They failed to secure any large amount of booty.

The first annual bail of the Clover Club takes place this evening at Liederkranz Hall.

The Western Brewery Co. have contracted for a new ice house and an ice machine building. Both buildings will be put up during the coming summer.

Drs. Booth/and West made an examination Description of the Clover Club takes place this evening at Liederkranz Hall. The Treubund Grand Lodge completed its

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Drs. Booth and West made an examination yesterday of the boy Ben Schnessie, who was sentenced to the Reform School for larceny, and found him to be subject to epilepsy. Judge Hay accordingly revoked the sentence, and the Loy was returned to the custody of his parents.

Josef Forbeck, a well-known farmer, who if Jon the Georgetown road, near Belleville, Josef Forbeck, a well-known farmer, who mos Schubert and Mary Buss of Lively Grovs; William Hermans and Margaret Knecht of Washington County.

A report compiled in the County Clerk's office for the use of the State Board of Health shows that there were 686 deaths in St. Clair County in 1889. Of these 387 were males and 311 females; 656 were white and 42 colored; 433 were natives of Illinois, 532 of the United States, 171 of foreign countries and 5 not stated; 100 were married, 29 were widowers and 56 widows; 173 were under 1 year of age, and 1 was above 90 years. The heaviest death rate was in August, when 75 were reported; the lightest in May, when 37 occurred. Col. Mersy Camp, No. 10, Sons of Veterans, gave an entertainment last night at Buohanan's Hall. The members of Hecker Post, G. A. R., assisted the camp in the entertainment, which was given in celebration of Lincoin's birthday.

The New Athens Brewery, which has been the course of the paired at a cost of

irthday.
The New Athens Brewery, which has been le for years, is to be repaired at a cost of \$35,000 and will be operated by Ambrose oth of St. Louis.
The Western Gas & Fuel Co. of East St. The Western das Pues C. C. State Ct. Louis filed incorporation papers yesterday afternoon in the Recorder's office. The company is incorporated by Joseph W. Shepherd, Henry D. Sexton and H. O'Hara with \$500,000 capitai, in 50,000 shares. H. O'Hara holds the bulk of the stock, 49,000 shares. J. W. Shepherd, Henry H. Beach, G. A. Bannentine and H. T. Nash each hold ten

Sy Telegraph to the PORT-DISPATCH.

CLINTON, Mo., Feb. 13.—Capt. W. H. Dodre, a Mexican war veteran and probably the oldest mase citizen of Clinton, died at his more. In this city this morning. He was in the eighty-first year of his ge and up to within a few says pass was remarkably active. He was con-keeper of the immber firm of which he as a member until about a year ago. A suden attack of paralysis prestrated him last riday. He is related to many of the largest of most influential families in this section.

YOU WILL COME TO-MORROW.

Fancy Goods Department.

A Gold Medal to Any House Who Undersells Us.

SUNDRIES.

2 bottles (full pints) Ammonia for 50 the Caseyville and Collinsville roads have been 2 papers best quality 5c Pins for......... cakes extra Toilet Soap, in box, for ... 50 Curling Irons, wood handle, for50

Tappin's Ermine Complexion Powder, k-lb., in handsome out-glass jar, all colors, for. Turkey Red Working Floss, best qual-

Waste Baskets.

We will place on sale to-morrow 1,000 of the finest Japanese Waste Baskets ever old in this city. They are elaborately embroidered with fine strips of bamboo and plaid cane lining. Nothing like it ever offered. Secure one for every room, five

Regular price.....55c 65c 75c \$1 \$1.25 for for for for for for Friday's price....20c 25c 30c 35c 40c Another large lot of all kinds of Japan-ese Baskets on sale for......10

Nos. 2 and 3 pure silk gros grain ribbon, satin edge and crown edge, all colors, per yard.....

Remnants of Ruchings worth up to 15c 45-inch Swiss Embroidered Skirting. regular price, 49c; Friday price.....29c

45-inch hemstitch Flouncing, regular price, 696; Friday's price......39 Odd lots children's Vests, Pantalets and Drawers, in white Merino, Scotch mixed and scarlet, sizes 16, 18, 20, worth regular up to 35c; all go at one price.

Odd lots misses', boys' and children's Vests and Drawers, in Merino, gray and Scotch mixed, sizes 24 to 34, worth regular up to 40c; all go at one price.15c

Odd lots misses' and children's plain Cotton Hose, fast black, sizes 6 to 8%, worth regular up to 25c; all go at one price.

Odd lots boys' heavy ribbed Cotton Hose, sizes 7 to 9%, guaranteed fast black; worth regular 35 cents, all go at one price.

A large lot children's Nainsook Yoke

A small lot of children's Double Aprons,

An extra drive in three lines of Corset Covers for Friday only; a \$1.50 Corset for......9

Now or Never. The Last Chance of the Season.

Our \$8 White Blankets for.
Our \$9 White Blankets for.
Our \$11 White Blankets for.
Our \$1.75 Beaver Shawls for.
Our \$4.75 Beaver Shawls for. Our \$11 Beaver Shawls for.....

You will find every counter loaded with bargains-all kinds of fanoy goods-and we make special mention of a manufacturer's sample line of felt and plush Lambrequins, scarfs and table cloths. They will be sold for what they cost to manufacture, which saves you the jobber's and retailer's profits.

S Broadway and

We are now showing a complete line of

newest combinations from the cheapest to the best.

Call and see the latest Parisian novelties in

FLOWER HATS AND BONNETS.

We have also a full line of material now so popular in Hyacinths, Forget-Me-Nots, Popples, Lilies of the Valley, Lilacs, Mignonettes, Roses, Grasses, Leaves, Daisies, etc., also a full line of Velvet Roses. Bridal Wreaths a specialty.

000 places Hamburg Embroidery at ..

Special for Friday. 10c Yard.

800 pieces Hamburg Embroidery, 8 inches wide, assorted patterns, good heavy work; worth 20c. 12 1-2c Yard. 500 pieces Hamburg Embroidery, 10 inches wide, good heavy work; worth 250.

15c Yard. 500 pieces Hamburg Embroidery, inche wide, good heavy work; worth 30c. 200 Yard.
500 pieces Hamburg Embroidery, 10 inches
wide, good heavy work; worth 40e.

290 Yard.
75 pieces 45-inch Swiss Skirting, with 25-inch work, for Friday only, 29c; worth 50c.

89c Yard.

S pieces Navy Blue and White Skirting,
27 inches wide, with 18-inch work, for
Friday only, 59c; worth 75c.

WHITE GOODS.

4 1.2c Yard.
50 pes checked Nainsook, in assorted checks; worth 74c.
7 1.2c Yard.
50 pes checked Nainsook, in assorted checks; worth 10c.
10c Yard.

be Yard.

So pieces striped and checked Nainsook;
we have a very large variety of patterns in
this lot: worth 15c.
e Yard.

So pieces 4b-in. wide Apron goods, assorted
patterns; worth 15c. MUSLINS.

For Friday Only. 8 1-3c Yard. 4-4 Lonsdale and Fruit of the Loom, full yard wide; worth loc.

MUSLIN LADIES' UNDERWEAR.

-Ladies' Full Size Mother Hubbard Gown, yoke of Hamburg insertion and clusters of tucks, would be at 75c; our price, 47c.

VS—Ladies' Mo ther Hubbard Gowns, well made, good material, yoke tucked in clusters, well worth 65c;

our price, 47c.

COWNS—Mother Hubbard, better grade of muslin, 3 rows of fine Hamburg insertion, four clusters of fine tucks, edge to match, worth \$1; our price, 73c.

COWNS—Mother Hubbard, yoke of 4 insertions of fine torchon lace and 4 clusters of tucks, lace edging around neck and sleeves, worth \$1.50; our price, 98c.

CHEMISES—Solid yoke of Hamburg insertion, full size and well made, lace edge around neck and sleeves, would be cheap at 35c; our price is 25c.

CHEMISES—Yoke of 70 fine Tucks, cambric ruffle around neck, sleeves and around yoke, good muslin, well worth 45c; our price, 33c.

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UTICA, N. Y., Feb. 13 .- A fire in Camden, N. Y., last evening destroyed the building occu-pled by Snow Bros. as a manufactory of bent wood articles. Loss on stock and machinery, \$2,000; insurance. \$900. The building was worth \$1,000 and was not insured.



Secale Flakes Is Rising in Everybody's Estimation. .

volver at such a short range enter a man' head at such a place and fall to penetrate his skull, which would of course cause death Fractured His Thigh.

Frank Walker fell from an fee-house owned by Huse & Loomle at about 1:30 this afternoon and fractured He thigh. He was taken to the Olty Housing.



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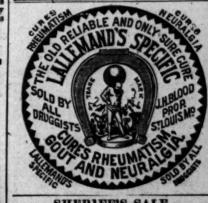
AMUSEMENTS.

WILLIAM REDMUND and MRS. THOMAS BARRY. Wilgon Roppott In their Last and Greatest New York HERMINIE.

GRAND OPERA-HOUSE.

Monday, February 17, Benefit of Geo. McManus, Presenting the New York Lyceum Theater Success,

"OUR FLAT." Introducing Mr. Daniel Frohman's Special Com-edy Company.



SHERIFF'S SALE. of Broken Packages of the Lee-Deming Grocer Co.'s Stock will begin To-Mor-row, February 18.

DIED.

LAWLER-JOHN LAWLER, on February 11, at 4:30 b. m., our beloved father, after a short illness, aged

60 years.
Funeral from residence of his son-C. W. Martin. 2111 Lynch street, Thu February 13, at 1 p. m. sharp, to Calvary Cem February 13, at 1 p. m. sharp, to Calvary Cemetery.

M'ATEER—On Wednesday, February 12, at 5 a.
m., Mrs. Fannie McAtzer (nee Sherlock), wife of
the late Daniel McAteer and our dearly beloved
mother, at the age of 56 years and 12 days.

Funeral from the family residence, 1423 North
Twentieth street, Friday, February 14, at 2 o'clock
to St. Bridget Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery,
Friends respectfully invited to attend.
Cincinnati (O.) papers please copy.

M'ILVANE—Of diphtheris, Thursday morning,
February 13, 1890, at 2:15 o'clock, LEELE ALLISON,
beloved son of Ben W. and Rose (Weerner) McIlvane, aged 3 years and 11 months.
Interment, Friday morning, February 14, private,
ROBINSON—JOHN ROBINSON, at Crystal City,
Mo., February 13.

Due notice of financial will be given.

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And Entire London Company, Including George Barrett. To-Night, - Claudian

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MISS SELIGMAN
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BURST WHILE IN MOTION.

THE BOILER OF A RAILWAY LOCOMOTIVE

FXPLODES. One Man Killed and Four Injured-A Fireman Loses His Life at the Burning of the Farwell Building at Chicago—Narrow Escape From Suffocation by Coal Cas-The Casualty Record.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 13.-About 8:30 this morning the boiler of a locomotive ex-ploded while in motion near Douglass Statios, on the Pittsurg, McKeesport & Youghlogheny Railroad, thirty miles south of here, killing one man and injuring four others. Their

CHARLES JENKINS, flagman, instantly killed. JOHN LUDWIG, engineer.

JOHN STRADMAN, fireman. WM. McKINLEY, brakeman. GEO. RIST, conductor.
All will recover, but possibly Ludwig, who was terribly scalded. The engine had taken a construction train, on which were a large number of Italian and Hungarian section hands to Douglass Station and was proceeding up the road with only the caboose when the boiler exploded with ter-

rific force, demolishing the engine and caboose, tearing up the rails and scattering scalding water and pieces of the boiler in all directions.

The five men named were in the cab and caboose at the time, but Jenkins was the only one killed. The first news received here reported from five to thirty Italians and Hungarians killed and injured, and a train with a corps of physicians was immediately dispatched to the scene. Fortunately the construction train was lying far enough away to prevent injury to the workmen.

Later.—Wm. Ludwig, one of the injured, has died from his wounds.

" Bly Blaze at Chicago. OHICAGO, Feb. 18.—The large brick and stone Building at the corner of Adams and Market streets, owned by the great dry goods house of J. V. Farwell & Co., caught fire early this of J. V. Farwell & Co., caught fire early this morning and before the flames could be subdued the southern half of it was gutted. This portion of the building was occupied by Taylor Bros., dealers in hats and caps, and Work Bros., dealers in clothing and uniforms. A wall which runs through the middle of the structure prevented the apread of the flames to the northern half of the building, which is filled with a heavy wholesale stock of dry goods of the Messes. Farwell, The loss is estimated at \$550,000; fully covered

Daily supply of Fine Roses and other choice flowers. Send 6 cents in stamps for handsomely illustrated catalogue of all kinds of Roses, Plants, Bulbs and seeds. fire was under control places the total damage at \$475,000 of which Mr. Work loses \$325,000; Taylor Brow \$50,000 and Farewell & Co., on the building, \$100,000.

One life will probably be lost and several other firemen are seriously injured. Wm. Sallander while on a thirty-six foot ladder on the south wall was knocked from his footing and gnocked to the stone parement below. His skull was fractured and he was internally injured.

Dendly Coal Gas.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 13 .- Coal gas escaping from a stove in the house 1409 Maple street Tuesday night almost put an end to a family of six people. Two of them will probably die. rived by the great dry goods house rwell & Co., caught fire early this place named, awoke yesterday with a strange desired the fames could be subspected by strain and the control his limbs. He was greatly frightened, for when he could not awake his eallers in hats and caps, and the dealers in clothing and unitall which runs through the midstructure prevented the spread of the he northern half of the building will be appropriately ground the northern half of the building will be appropriately ground the northern half of the building will be appropriately ground the northern half of the building will be appropriately ground the northern half of the building will be appropriately ground the northern half of the building will be appropriately ground the northern half of the building will be appropriately ground the flow of the substantial whole are and three children unconscious in their beds. The windows were thrown open and Dr. E. W. Kellogg was summoned. The police summon says the adjance in a thought the flow of the summon says the adjance in a thought the flow of the summon says the adjance in a tranged.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 13.—Ben H. Jeter, a salcon-keeper, fired three shots from a pistol at John Bethel, ex-Market Master, in a salcon about 5 o'clock this morning. Two of the head with a heavy wholesale y goods of the Messes. Farwell, at the propriet of the sall of the sa Paul Bure, who resides with his family at the

LODGE NOTICES.

THE WARDENS—Office 816 and \$18 N. 17th st.—
Stated meeting this (Thursday) evening at 7:30
clock, sharp. D. N. BURGGYNE, Captain,
N. GEISEL, Secretary. *Hamlet is the title of the handsome picture to be given free to every Wapt Advertiser Ophelia" February 16.

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Miscellaneous,

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WANTED-Harness makers at once. 518 N. 3d.

Laborers. WANTED-Team on 11th and Locust sts. WANTED-Friday morning, 5 carts to haul dirt New Manchester rd. and Boyle av.

WANTED-Boy. Apply at 3340 Olive st. WANTED-A good boy under 16 to attend horse WANTED-Errand boy in office; state salary expected. Address C 77. this office. WANTED—Short distance from city, a boy betwee 14 and 18 years, who understands country wo willing and smart. Apply Friday forenoon betwee 11 and 12 o'clock. 1411 Chouteau av.

Miscellaneous.

WANTED-A stout young man. Apply at 6 WANTED-Forter for store. Apply between 7 and 8 p. m., 602 Olive st. 63 WANTED-A young man for waiting on table and helping to do housework. 14 N. 3d st. 62 WANTED-Colored porter at 1814 Washington av Apply Friday morning between 9 and 10 WANTED-A man to do housework at a family residence; must come well recommended. Appl at Moser Hotel.

SITUATIONS WANTED-FEMALES.

WANTED—For a worthy young girl a position with kind lady who will take an interest in her; willing to assist in light work, sewing or wait on lady or child; best of ref. Add. E 76, this office. 77

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WANTED-First-class laundress wishes to go out by the day or week. Call at 1010 N. 9th st., in

WANTED-A lady of refinement desires a post of usefulness in family as nurse, companion seamstress. Address M 76, this office.

WANTED-Cook; first-class. 2113 Pine st. WANTED-A girl to cook and assist in other work 2923 Chesthut st. 66 WANTED-A German woman to cook, wash and iron. 2125 Pine st. WANTED-Good girl for cooking and general housework. 3553 Olive st. 68 Wanted-Girl to cook, wash und fron; good wages to capable girl. 2216 Carr st. 68 WANTED-A good reliable giri to cook, wash and iron; small family. Apply 3941 Delmar av. 68

Dressmakers and Scamstresses. WANTED-Machine girls to work on shop coat W ANTED-A good dressmaker and a girl to learn

HELP WANTED-FEMALE. General Housework.

WANTED-Girl for housework at 2805 St. Louis

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WANTED-A young girl to assist in light ho work. 524 Ware av. WANTED-A girl for general housework at No. 1126 N. Leonard av. WANTED-At once, girl for general housework WANTED-A good girl to assist in housework. In-

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WANTED-A girl for general housework; no washing, 1909 Coleman. Take Northern Cen-WANTED-A girl for general housework; German preferred; good wages: no washing; call a once. 2712 Chestnut st. WANTED-Girl, 12 to 15; for light work by man wife; no children; living in a nice flat; references required. Address A 77, this office. WANTED-A girl for general housework in small family of grown persons. Apply at 416 Left fingwell av. or 28th st., between Locust and Washington av.

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WANTED-Good lady clothes-ironer; steady work and good pay. Model Steam Laundry, 514 and 516 Chouteau av. 67

Miscellaneous.

WANTED-A girl that understands bottling WANTED-A girl about 16 years, to assist i small family. 17194 Gratiot st. 7 WANTED-A girl 13 or 14 to wash dishes and do chores; German preferred. Call at 1608

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TIDY HOLDERS-By Paul Leistner Wire-works.
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INFORMATION WANTED.

NFORMATION WANTED—The party who sent letter to Wm. J. A.. signed Allie, will oblige by ending their address to P 76, this office.

WANTED-REAL ESTATE.

WANTED—Nice building lot n. w. of Grand av. W for which I will trade elegant pair diamond earings and pay cash difference. State full particular to address N 76, this office.

SELECT Dancing School, 105 S. 15th st. Call or send for terms, etc. PROF. R. M. ADAMS' Mardi-gras ball at Armory Hall, 17th and Pine, Tuesday evening, Feb. 18, PROF. R: M. ADAMS' dancing class opens for new pupils, at Euterpe Hall, Jefferson and Walnut st., Monday and Friday evenings; \$5 per term. 76 "Hamlet is the title of the handsome picture to be given free to every Want Advertiser Ophelia", in the SUNDAY POST DISPATCH, February 16.

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS.

LOST AND FOUND. LOST-Monday, two pair pants, on Franklin av. between Glasgow av. and 9th st. Reward if re-turned to 814 N. 9th st.

get the above reward? Ben Feldkamp, 1306 Olive st.

LOST—\$10 reward—From 1711 Wash st., a large black and tan Gordon setter: leather collar on with broken brass plate. The above reward will be paid on recovery.

OST—At Druids' Hall, Wednesday evening, February 12, a parcel containing a partly-dnished ladies' dark red flannel waist; left by mistake on bed in tollet room; please return to 800 Pine st., to dFessmaker and get reward.

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BUILDING CO., Omee No. 513
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1422 OLIVE ST.-Rooms, fur, or unfur. Mrs

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Mr. Husted then said that a weighty responsibility was thrown on the chair, which he would not try to shirk. Two conference committees had already been appointed and had failed to solve the problem. Both committees were appointed in accordance with Parliamentary usage. At this supreme juncture the chair would not by the exercise of his prerogative go upon the record as an enemy of an enterprise of which he is in fact an earnest friend. If this great undertaking is to be throttled in its conception, other hands must grasp its throat. The people of New York demand the Fair. They have generously and munificently subscribed their money to insure its success. They have the right to be heard by the representatives of the people. They have the right to be heard through their own representatives. In the hope that reason will resume her sway, that prejudice and partisanship may be laid aside or overcome, that the great desire of the people of the metropolis may be gratified, the Chair will committee the guardians of her welfare and the exponents of those whom she has sent teaths House as the guardians of her welfare and the exponents of the precedent of the past, but will localize the membership of the committee by limiting it to representatives from the metropolis.

In accordance therewith the Chair named Messrs. King, Lewis, Hosg, O'Hare and Dinkelepell, all of New York, as the Rouse Conference Committee.

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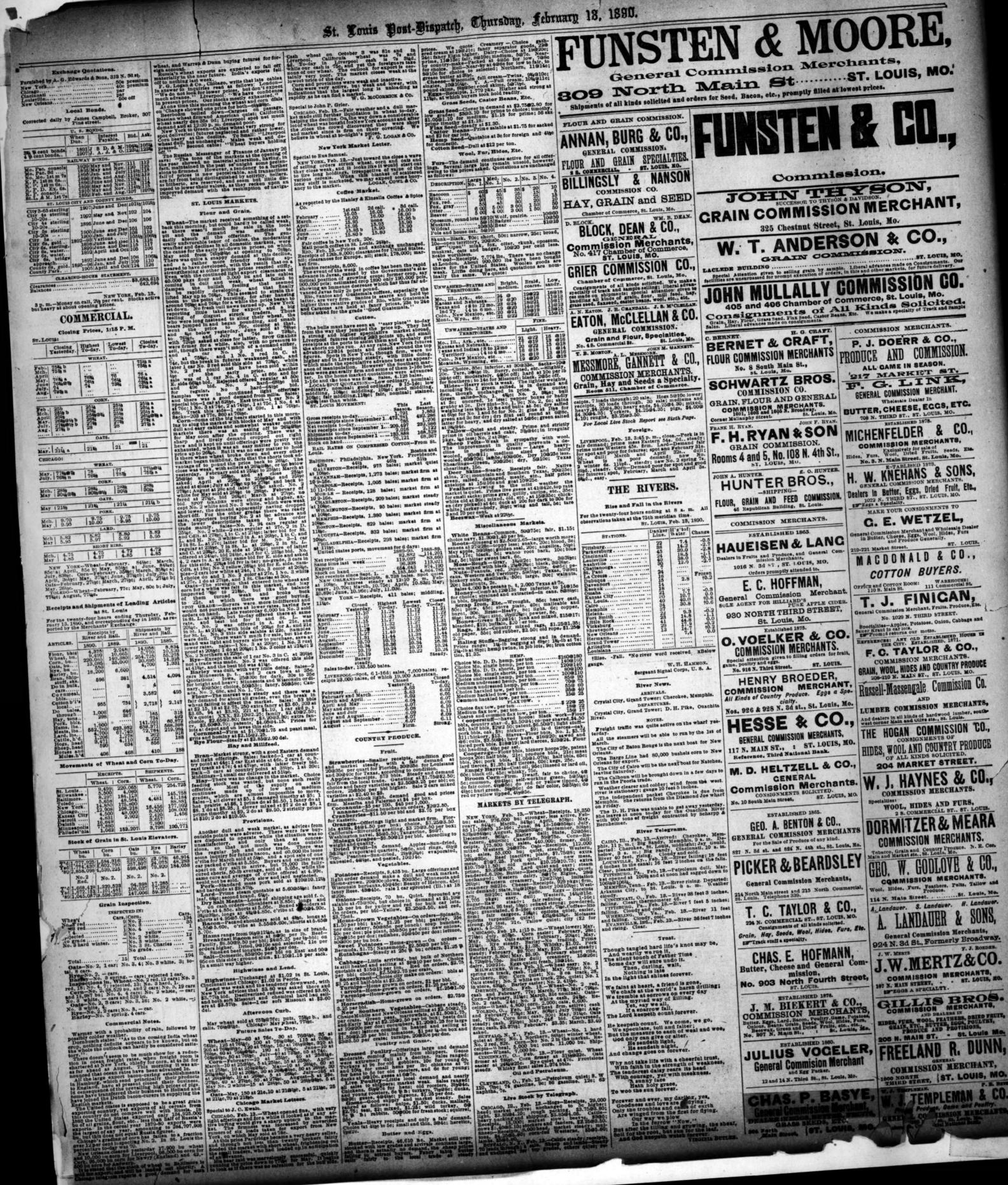
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eines furnished. Dr. Dinsbeer, 814 Pine st. ITS FATE STILL UNCERTAIN.

Gerardi Will Leave, but the Planters' Bouse May Remain Open. The future of the Planters' House is still un

determined, but at the meeting of the stockholders held yesterday it was de-cided that Joseph G. Gerardi would at once sever his connection with it. In reply to a question Mr. Gerardi said that under no circumstances and under no conditions would he try to go on, even were his creditors willing to allow him so to do. His health, if nothing else, would prevent him, and he felt the need of rest after recent occurrences. At one time he had thought that matters might be so arranged that he would continue in charge of the house, but after consultation with his creditors he had determined to abandon any such idea. What would become of the house he did not know. As to the sale of the furniture under the mortgage, he had no doubt that it could be conducted in the house without any serious objection being raised. The stockholders have not yet come to any decision as to what disposition is to be made of the property, and another meeting was held this afternoon, at which the matter was discussed. A gentleman connected with the management of the hotel stated that several hotel men were anxious to obtain the house, and that propositions with this end in view were considered. It had been suggested that the hotel be kept open by the stockholders and the present force of employes retained pending negotiations, as an absolute closure would most disastrously affect the property for hotel purposes. It was also stated that there was a probability that the furniture could not be sold at auction, but that it could be disposed of at private sale. That the management will be changed is certain, but there is a belief in well informed quarters that the hotel may still remain open. The matter will probably be decided within a week. at once sever his connection with it. In reply to a question Mr. Gerardi said that

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Otto Kerr Huebner, a carriage painter em ployed at the Lucking Wagon Co., 1615 North Thirteenth street, applied to-day for a war-

Thirteenth street, applied to-day for a warrant against his wife and Anton Tobias, her 21-year-old brother. Huebner is 35 years of age and says his wife is 26 years of age. They came here from Carlsbad, Germany, three years ago and they have two children, one 5 years of age and the other one 2½ years old. He claims he had trouble with her in Germany, but returned to live with her again. He alleges she has been behaving badly in this country, and on the night of November 6 she came home so late in the morning that he at first refused to let her in. Afterward he let her in, he says, and the next day she lett with her two children and, according to his story, has been living ever since in one room with her brother at No. 2106 South Ninth street. The warrant was refused.

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David King was examined in the Court of Criminal Correction to-day on a charge of as saulting to kill Mary Logan, and was beld for

the Grand-jury in \$800 bond. house for stealing \$21 from James McCaffrey. In the case of James Garvey, John McHale and Mike Lowry, charged with stealing \$5 worth of tobacco from Bernard Hellmann, McHale pleaded guilty and got thirty days in jail, and the other two stood trial and were disphared.

ischarged.

Nolle prosequies were entered in two cases gainst John McGillicuddy, charged with lolating the Newberry law, and a case against Valter Lewis and John Steele, charged with

the lovely new, dainty and novel Cor. Broadway and Locust.

The Jennings' Divorce. CHICAGO, Ill. Feb. 13.-The Jennings' di orning which makes Mrs. Addio Jennings' arriage to John B. Webber the Boston Illionaire, no marriake all. Is case has qured prominently in contained the F

HE WROTE TOO MUCH.

PRISONER WHO TOOK PEN IN HAND ONCE TOO OFTEN.

His Handwriting Was Wonderfully Like That Left by a Man Who Stole Three Overcoats-Prisoners Taken Into Custody by the Detectives at the Four Courts-Suspected of Larceny.

Two weeks ago Jim Carroll, the Superinchants' Exchange. He hung his overcoat up in the hall and when he returned a few minutes later it was gone. Two days later Carroll received a bundle by mail and it contained the papers which had been in his overcoat. Four r five days later an overcoat belonging to or five days later an overcoat belonging to Sam Hoffheimer, a guest of the Southern Hotel, was stolen. In an hour or so a package addressed to him was thrown on the hotel counter by a man who passed on immediately. The package contained a number of valuable papers which Hoffheimer had left in his overcoat. A few days ago Robert Hemingray was arrested for stealing an umbrella belonging to E. H. Garrigues, from the pool-room in the Merchants' Excnange Building. Wednesday morning he was tried in the Court of Criminal Correction, convicted and sentenced to three months in the Work-house. Judge Campbell offered to reduce his sentence if Hemingray could prove a good character. Detective Desmond heard the trial and suspected the prisoner might have been the man who stole the overcoats belonging to Carroll and Hoffheimer. Under pretext of wanting to arrest him, Desmond had him write on a silp of paper the names of the places where he had worked and where he boarded. This writing the detective compared with that on the wrappers in which the papers belonging to Carroll and Hoffheimer had been returned. They tallied, and Jacob Warner, a second-hand clothing dealer who had purchased Carroll's overcoat, was sent for and positively identified Hemingray as the man who sold it to him. It is probable that two more warrants for petit larceny will now issue against Hemingray.

CHARGED WITH BURGLARY. Sam Hoffhelmer, a guest of the Southern Hotel,

for petit larceny will now issue against Hemingray.

CHARGED WITH BURGLARY.

Detectives McGrath and O'Connell yesterday arrested Waiter, alias "Fat" Ahern on a charge of burglarizing the residence of Mrs. Charles Wittenberg. 919 North Sixteenth street, on the evening of the 8th inst. The family was out at the time and \$100 worth of jewelry and clothing were stolen. Part of the property has been recovered and Ahern has been positively identified. A warrant for burglary and larceny will be taken out against Ahern. He is an ex-convict and has served two years at Jeferson City for a similar offense. He was arrested this morning on Ninth street and Cass avenue.

street and Cass avenue.

HE IS A LOSER.

W. H. Estes of Columbia, Mo., reports to the police that he either lost or had stolen from him last night \$35 in cash and two checks on a St. Louis Bank, one for \$600 and the other for \$500. He was in an uncertain condition last night and does not know where he downed but thinks it was taken when he

last night and does not know where he stopped, but thinks it was at some place on Franklin avenue.

PHOTOGRAPHED FOR THE GALLERY.

Robert Hemingray, Jack Ryan and Walter, alias "Fat" Ahearn, were photographed by Harry Newbold this morning for the rogues' gallery. Ahearn was arrested by Detectives McGrath and O'Connell yesterday on a charge of burglary. He is an ex-convict. Ryan was arrested by the police on suspicion of having committed a highway robbery, but they could not make the case stick and charged him with vagrancy. It is claimed he is also an ex-convict.

The Southern Hotel Co. this morning took out a warrant for larceny against Heming-

Detectives Burke and Fitzgerald arrested John Collins at Seventeenth and Carr streets last evening on a charge of stealing \$65 worth of clothing from Miss Lulu Fredericks of 1731 Morgan street. A warrant for grand lareeny was issued against him this morning.

A watch valued at \$20 was stolen from the vest pocket of Joseph Mick, No. 1704 South Twelfth street, while he was working on the Bohemian Turner Hall on Allen avenue.

An overcoat was stolen yesterday out of the buggy of John Elsenburg of No. 221 Minnestota avenue, while it was standing on Chestota avenue, while it was standing on Chest-ut between Ninth and Tenth streets.

VALENTINES, 5 CENTS TO \$10.

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Horrible Execution of T. Boyack in the Missouri Car Wheel Foundry. T. Boyack, an employe of the Missouri Car Wheel Co., at No. 2301 Kosciusko street, was struck by a steam ham-mer at the foundry at 10:30 this

morning and instantly killed, the entire top of his head being taken off. He got under the hammer while it was déscending. Boyack was 35 years of age, a Hungarian, unmarried, and lived at Ninth street and Russell avenue.

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By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH. GAINESVILLE, Tex., Feb. 13 .- A stranger probably 40 years old, registering as L. W. Adae of San Antonio, died at the Lindsay Adae of San Antonio, died at the Lindsay Hotel in this city last night, probably from an overdose of morphine administered by himself. Papers found in his possession show him to have been an agent of the Mutuai Life Insurance Co. and late of 417 Pine street, St. Louis. The Knights of Pythias here larve charge of the body and have been telegraphing to various parts of the country to-day to find relatives or friends of the deceased that they may order some disposition of the body, but so far no information has been received.

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the club in the convention of Republican Clubs in Kansas City, Wednesday February 10. Those selected for this responsible task were: Heney Troil, Charles Thuener, Henry Lange, Herman Tubesing, Peter Best, Gustave Hinkel, Richard Schmieder, Fred Fientzen and John Walz. They will leave next Tuesday night.

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> > THE BADGER'S BAIL.

W. Poole Secures a Bonds

and Will Be Released. Judge J. L. Thomas of the Twenty-sixth Judicial Circuit met Circuit Attorney Clover, representing the State, and Counsel for Theodore W. Poole of "badger" Clover, fame at lo'clock this afternoon in Hurst's Hotel to examine a bond proposed for Poole's release from the Hills for Poole's release from the Hillsboro Jati in Jefferson County, where he
is now confined. Thomas B. Crews, who has
an office in the Commercial building, was on
hand to sign the bond, which Judge Thomas,
who is to try the case, had fixed at \$3,000.
Mr. Clover entered no objections and
Judge Thomas, after examining the surety,
formally gave his approval to the document.
The bond will be taken to Hillsboro, and
after Poole's signature is appended
he will be liberated to answer
when his case is called. The tial
will hardly take place, however, before the
May term. Poole is charged with executing a
bold conspiracy to blackmail John A. Tindale,
an elderly real estate agent. His wife,
Minnie Poole, it is charged, induced
Tindale to call at their apartments on Olive
street west of Garrison avenue to examine the
furniture, with a view to making a loan and
taking a chattel mortgage. While Tindale
was in the room with Mrs. Poole inspecting the furniture, Foole and
a confederate pounced upon him and at the
point of a revolver forced him to sign a check
for \$1,000, give up \$13 in cash and affix his signature to papers confessing that he
had been oaught in a compromising position with Mrs. Poole. The
papers were found in Poole's possession
when he was taken in custody by the police.
Some two weeks ago Pools took advantage of
an opportunity to walk out of jail at Hillsboro
and came direct to this city. After visiting
his wife who has been out on bail ever since
her arrest, and consulting with her attorney
he went back to Hillsboro and surrendered
himself to the Sheriff.

VALENTINES, 5 CENTS TO \$10. boro Jail in Jefferson County, where he

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AMONG THE BROKERS.

Obtained To-Day.

The mining market was not as active as it trading was done.

The stock that sold most freely was Pine Grove, which was in heavy demand. The market opened at 2 bid, 2½ asked, but none sold below the latter price. On call buyers were blenty and 13,000 shares were transferred. This satisfied the demand temporarily, and the stock was offered at 2½. After call 2,100 shares were disposed of at the same price, at which market closed. It was reported that in the suring a large force of men would be put at work on the mine.

The following quotations were made on call his morning:

	BID.	ASK.		BID.	ASK.
Adams	50	60 ,	M. Marph		
American	1 50	1 85	Maj. Budd	171/2	18%
Arizona			Mex. Imp	164	18%
Aztec	10	15	Montrose.		
Bi-Met			Mt. Key	5614	60
Black Oak		**** **	Mt. Lion	9	101/2
Bromen	1	11/2	M. Breen.		
Buckskin.	542		Neath	6	7
Central S.	23%	*** ****	Old Colny	******	
Cleveland	21/2	41/2	Old Jesuit		2 8
Cly & Anh	271/2	3114	P. Murphy	71/2	8
Cœur d'A		1 00	Pedro Con	2	245
Dinero	1/2	4	Phillips		
Eclipse			Pine Grve	2	24
Gldn West	171/2	40	Q. of W		
Gold King	10	13	Raspberry		
Gold Run.	1	142	Rosalis		
Granite M		45 50	8. Frisco.	3	31/2
Hope	2 00		San Pedro		
I. X. L .	61/2	71/2	S. Hopes.	1 021/2	1 124
Ingram	*******		Silver Age	1 471/2	
Ironclad			Silver Bell	. 164	20
Ivanhoe		14	Toutlette.	12	13
Jumbo			W. Granit	80	821/
Keystone.	4	41/2	W. Patch.	10	*******
La Union.	214	23%	Yuma	45	464
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On call no La Union was sold, but later there were a number of sales aggregating 2,300 shares at 234.

21/2, over 2,500 shares changing hands, and the stock was offered at this figure at the close.

The uncertainty in regard to the position of the Tourtelotte stock sold for future delivery prevented trading. The question as to whether the stock delivered would have to be with assessment, paid, was warmly discussed, with no result beyond developing the fact that there was a wide difference of opinion upon the subject among the brokers. The Board of Directors will unquestionably be called upon to decide the matter.

The following sales were made: 100 Central Silver at 23% and 300 at 22%; 1,000 Mountain Lion at 9%, 500 Pedro at 2%; 200 West Granite at 80, 300 Yuma Copper at 46%.

Lincoln's Birthday at Carthage.

By Telegraph to the Post-Disparch.

CARTHAGE, Mo., Feb. 13.—Lincoln's birthday was observed here last night under the auspices of the Oglesby Camp of Sons of Veterans of this city. The Armory Hall was appropriately decorated and a portrait of Lincoin given a prominent pines on the platform. Fine music was rendered by the opera-house or clustra. Rev. Dr. Renser, President of the Collegiate Institute, in this city, delived an address on the "Life and Character of Lincoin." Music, teasts and responses rolusted.



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BIG AND LITTLE FEET.

THE FASHIONS IN BOOTS AND SHOES TO FIT

EITHER. Perfumed Shoes Now the Fad of the Ladies-

Dainty Boots and Slippers-Lace Shoes the Thing for Gentlemen-The Russia Leather Shoe-Novelties in Evening Slip pers-Winter Styles in Foot Gear.

N EW YORK, Jan. 30.—
As there is a tendency
to follow everything that is English, it that this season the don shoes, for very in silk, suede, or " ing with the gown,

with contrasting heels, rands, and either ribbon tying the side flaps together on the instep, or a handsome buckle. Gray silk or morocco, white heels, rands, and silver buckle; dark green with white, reseda with pale pink, black with red, gold color with gray, have all been popular combina comes to us from the commencement of the eighteenth century. The black patent-leath e, with colored at style, and is a court shoes, we French many years ago, the shape and genera fashion being adhered to, though the patent

leather is an invention of modern days. Those with red heels and handsome gold buckles are extremely smart, and most becoming The lace boot is again re-instated in favor but it comes back in a more ornamental form In some instances the fronts are of paten eather, cut in scallops, and the silken lace of some bright color, as scarlet or yellow. A



walking boot (Fig. 1). that has vamp and quarter cut in one piece, from dark gray morocco, and patent-leather trimmings that extend from the toes, up the lace front and around the top. This trimming is made the subject of much ornamentation, being pinked and perforated in fanciful designs, and the sulteding is with colored silk which shows of to good advantage on the black ground of PATENT-LEATHER.

Another peculiarity is that the patent-leather laps over the quarter deep enough to allow a row of buttons to be set in mock button holes—worked with gray silk—and thus give the foot the appearance at a side view of the button boot, while it has all the advantages of the lace.

Another novelty is the "Bucher" (Fig. 2). They are made on the Picadilly last, which gives that alim effect to the foot now so much sought after in the best grades of fine wear. They are made in different combinations of leathers, patent alif and French enamel being the most used. They are ornamented with toe-caps of various designs in outline, with fancy perforations. On the ladies" "Bluchers" the front Jacepiece is of a different leather from the quarters. The quarters are stitched on the outside of quarters are fold. The effect is much handsomer. The front edges of the quarters are plaked and perforated with fancy "Greclan" patterns or pointed, and scolloped wheels.

In button boots the latest novelty is of Trepch importation, (Fig. 3) and drest made its appearance on the return of the gualitation. They are of a unique design that permits of variety enough in combination to suit the mest ultra tastes. Besides being unique in design and color, its chicappearance is set off by the presence of three bread ribbooms, one after interp. assected and heal, while the third spans the antis, and declared by a fight silver bucks.

The vamp, quarter, trimmings and ribbons may all be of different colors or shades to suit the fancy of the wearer. Paris shoemakers are now displaying a kind of shoe that is well liked both by ladies and gentlemen. They are

are

LIGHT GRAY.

It is said that black so soon shows the dust, and on that account gray is far preferable. Gentlemen's gray shoes are made of leather and ladies' of silk cloth. The heels are set round with pretty little silver-headed nails. A shoe that doubtlessly will attract unusual attention has seamless yamps of patentleather, with tone of royal blue suede. The lace fronts are of patent leather, bound with cords.



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favor the Russia leather shoe on this account, as it has a distinctive odor that is hard to imitate, although it is now being done to some extent. As the genuine Russia leather is quite expensive, and thus can be worn only by the wealthy, and as the demand is far a perfumed shoe in the medium grades, several of the leading shoe manufacturers have adopted the plan of sprinkling orris-root powder, in which is sifted a favorite sachet, between the leather and the lining of their patrons' shoes.

A slipper suitable for morning wear is a most desirable part of a lady's tollette. To be right it must be light, comfortable, and of a material that will harmonize with the variety of morning wrappers worn, and of neutral colors, Of these, there are many styles shown to tickle the vanity of the fair purchaser. Perhaps the most fanciful design is somewhat of a combination of slipper and low shoe (Fig. 4). The material for the quarter, which, as will be seen, extends around the toe, forming a border to the vamp, is

per and low shoe (Fig. 4). The material for the quarter, which, as will be seen, extends around the toe, forming a border to the vamp, is

PEARL-COLORED

bucks kin bound with narrow silk ribbon to match the color of the buckskin as nearly as possible. Pearl-colored silk is also used for stitching. The vamp is pearl-colored dull kid crossed by narrow, flat silk braid, pink in color, and stitched on each edge. The contrast in colors is enough to give a rich dressy appearance without being so decided as to offend taste or to mar the harmony by strong contrast. The same design can be had in almost any color, shade or combination, which is usually decided upon by the color of the wrapper with which they are to be worn.

For evening, brocade shoes, made with the contrasting heel and rand, with dainty bows lined with the color of the heel, or with cut buckles, are in the height of fashion. Some of the bows are smartly set up, each one lined with color, drawn together at the base, in form somewhat resembling a mouse's ear, while others are laid over upon the shoe, sometimes with three pearl or crystal studs placed down the center. The brocade is usually that of the gown the shoe is to be worn with, and the heel and pring, and so on. That rosettes are again in style is due no doubt to the fact that the siender foot is now considered to be the ideal, and nothing so emphasizes the petite sienderness of a slippered foot and misleads the eye in the case of a large one as does the well poised rosettes. The "correct" rosette is not the ordinary one that has been worn from time to time, but the great lace and silk roses of Charles I.'s day. For ordinary evening wear kid or suede shoes are more fashionable than sailu. For afternoon wear, colored and embossed morococ shoes, after the Louis XV. period, with high pointed instep flaps and handsome buckles are

MICH WORN.

One of the attractive noveities for evening wear is a slipper (Fig. 5), out very low at the sides and open across the front just above the ball or the foot. The v

HUMPHREY'S.

St. Louis, February 13, 1890.

The forecast for to-day for Missouri is warmer, fair weather, southwesterly winds. BEFORE YOU BUY A



spect them. Suits to order, \$25, \$30, \$35 and \$40. Pants to order, \$5, \$6, \$7, \$8, \$9 and \$10

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Topaz Liver Pills.

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in almost every known shade and color, and of choice selections of fancy leathers and cloths of any quality. They can be had with heels, or without, to suit the fancy of the wearer, and with a plain innersole, or one padded with the softest down and quilted with rish colored slik. Of the heelless variety a striking example is seen in one with quilted slik or satin vamp (Fig. 6), trimmed around the edge with a sort of box pleating, the whole surmounted with a neat bow or pompon of sold or silver threads. Another novelty (Fig. 7), has French kid vamps and Louis XV. heels. Around the top of the vamp is a pleating of BLACK SILK TIPPED with white lace while the front is ornamented with a neat bow of black and white satin ribbons. The lining is of white kid and the inner sole, padded to the comfort of mi-lady's dainty feet.

The lace walking shoe, or balmoral for gentiemen's use, is the principal style of foot covering now worn. The button and congress styles are losing their old-time popularity. A tasteful design is a patent-leather with seamless vamps cut in such a manner as to extend up the back seam to the top of the shoe (Fig. 8). This design has the merit of doing away with the seam at the back where top and vanue usually join, and which is so apt to break away. It also permits of any amount of plinking, perforating and fancy stitching with colored slik. The heels are of medium height, but rather slim the sole light and flexible, and has the rand ornamented with yellow stitches. This shoe is also made in calf, kangaroo and dongola. When made in button a greater opportunity is afforded for fancy ornamentation, which is made the most of (Fig. 9), by some unique designs at the button pleess, which are metered out in tasty scoll work around the button-holes and stitched to an underlying plees of leather of different material, color or shade.

Carondelet Jottings.

The Vulcan Iron Works is now making an average of 100 tons of pig iron every twenty-four hours.

give a reception to morrow evening at the Americus Club rooms, in compliment to the Grand officers, who will be present.

58. Mary and Joseph's Council, No. 9, Roights of Father Mathew, gave its annual dress ball last evening at Germania Turner Hall. The affair was largely attended and lasted until quite a late hour this morning.

Col. Crowl's staff of the Uniformed Rank of the A. O. U. W. visited Rossdale Legion last evening.

The case against M. McCabe for disturbing the peace was dismissed without prosecution this morning in Police Justice Morgan's Court.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 12.—Sister Mary Angela Von Geroit died of pneumonia yes-terday at the Convent of Visitation in this

Topaz Cinchona Cordial Co.

Three Bullets in His Body.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—A jealous husband in Brooklyn shot three simes the man he believed had wronged him yesterday afternoon. The shooter is John McGinnis, a young machinist of 328 Columbia street, Brooklyn, and the victim was his brother-in-law, Daniel Lyons. Lyons is dying in the hespital with three builet holes in his body, and McGinnis gave himself up immediately after the shooting, and in court this morning was committed to await the result of Lyons' injuries.

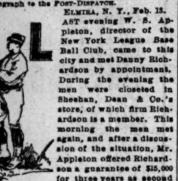
Catarrhal Dangers.

while lying down; to breathe freely; sleep soundly and undisturbed; to rise retreshed, head clear, brain active and free from pain or ache; to know that no poisonous, putrid matter defiles the breath and rots away the deter deflies the breath and rots away the delicate machinery of smell, tasts and hearing to feel that the system does not, through its veins and arteries, suck up the poison that is sure to undermine and destroy, is indeed a blessing beyond all other human enjoyments. To purchase immunity from such a fate should be the object of all afflicted. Bus those who have tried many remedies and physicians despair of relief or cure.

SANFORD'S RADICAL CURE meets every phase of Catatrh, from a simple head cold to the most loathsoms and destructive stage. It is local and constitutional. Instant in relieving, permanent in curing, safe, economical and acver-failing.

SANFORD'S RADICAL CURE consists of one

Contract for \$5,000 a Year and e First Year's Salary in Advance idering the Offer-The Nellie Bly



for three years as second baseman and Captain of the New Yorks. Of this sum \$5,000 was shaken in Mr. Richardson's face as advance for one year. While the negotiations were in progress the facts leaked out, and then, seeing that they had me known, Mr. Appleton acknowledged the League proposed to dispose of the Brotherhood before the season opens, as it will be better to get rid of them in that way than to compete with them for patronage. He said Richardson was the key to the situaion and they are determined to get him. The plan further provides for the securing of a few ood players for the New Yorks, and that, it is thought, will be, the end of the od. He said that Richardson will be in the League when the season opens and that \$7,000 will be paid to secure him. Mr. lichardson was much surprised when told that Mr. Appleton's business here was known. conditions named, but that nothing that he ecepted their offer. He does not believe that he said, "the offer to me is a good one and Mr. Appleton dees me a great ompliment in making it. The New York slub brought me out of obscurity a number of sars ago and my salary was raised from \$700 year to \$2,600. Mr. Appleton, Mr. Day and there in the club have been very kind to me

heir course and then abide by the results. Mr. Appleton expressed satisfaction at the situation to-night and says Richardson will ay with his team next season. It is not believed here that "Danny" has signed with Mr. Appieton, but it is not considered improb-able that he would do so in the near future. Mr. Appleton remained in the city to-night.

but under the circumstances I shall have to

will learn with regret of the death by inflam of the lungs of Peter Johnson, the famous aquatic expert, which occurred at ew weeks ago to fulfill an engagement at the que there. His performances in the she Cirque there. His performances in the tank and in the sea were unique and daring. His long stay under water in the tank, and his finished and graceful movements, obtained for him engagements at the leading British and Continental centers. His wife, also a clever swimmer, but who never swam in public, died just three years ago in Paris, while he was fulfilling an engagement at the Noveau Cirque there. Peter Johnson was teacher and trainer to his brother, the famed J. B. Johnson, for several years champion of England and America. He has left a family of six daughters, the youngest of whom is 11 years of age, and all are accomplished swimmers.

The Tretting Congress

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 18.-The thirteenth iennial congress of the National Trotting Asociation was convened yesterday afternoon Secretary Marsean reported as follows: Persons suspended, 2,705; persons expelled, 299; horses suspended, 1,405; herses expelled, 299; total, 4,447. The report for two years shows: Persons suspended, 5,417; persons expelled, 178; horses suspended, 1,074; horses expelled, 111; total, 5,580. Deducting the number of men and horses under penalty of suspension and expulsion December 31, 1899 (4,447), shows a decrease in the aggregate of 1,183.

Tressurer Lewis J. Fowers of Springfield, Mass., reported as follows: Cash in hand January 1, 1888 (as per previous report), 510,740.69; receipts for 1888, 516,861.64; total, \$27,602.90; disbursements for 1888, \$18,341.77; balance for 1888, \$18,241.77; balance for 1888, \$18,241.77; balance for CSS, \$14,260.40; receipts for 1889, \$16,883.23 disbursements for 1880, \$18,312.77; balance on hand January 1 1800, \$16,833.29.

C. N. Nelsen and T. Noble and George N. Robins, with their satillous Nelson and Alacryon, were suspended for enjoining the congress from investigating the Nelson-Alacryon race. etary Marsenn reported as follows: Per

F Kentucky Trotters.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Feb. 18 .- Brasfield's sale Up to moon nineteen head had sold for \$35.640, in average of \$1,854. The highest prices were:
Discount, b. h., 6, by Dictator, dam by Tattler, E. Bithers, Racine, Wis., \$1,400. Joy,
b. m., 10, by George Wilkes, dam by Pliot,
fr., J. L. Middleton, Shebbyville,
fy., \$1.00. Joy Deli, black f.,
fy., \$1.00. Bay filly, yearling, by Dictator, dam Joy, by George
Wilkes, J. D. Creighton, Omaha, Neb.,
fy., \$1.00. Bay filly, yearling, by
Lord Russell, dam Elizabeth, by George
Wilkes, John Thompson, Nashville,
Fenn., \$3,000. Sophia, br. m. 14, by George
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Wilkes, dam by American Clay, H. Smathbatl,
fy., \$1.00; Tirzab, b. m., \$3, by Dictator, dam by
fynward, H. Smathball, \$2,700; brown filly, 3,
by Mambrino Russell, dam by Dick Turpin,
fohn Thompson, \$500; bay filly, yearling, by
fultan, dam Mosaic, by Belmont, J. Jackson,
ferre Haute, Ind., \$2,550. The last nine head
mentioned were the property of the late Col.
Wm. Cassius Goodloe, who was killed here
ast November by Col. A. M. Swope. an average of \$1,854. The highest prices were

The Clifton Ruces.

The races at Clifton yesterday resulted as First race, five furlongs—Sea Tick, first; Beliair, second; Lizzie M., third. Time, 1:06. Second race, five furlongs—Gypsy, first; Beccla, second; Romance, third. Time, 1:054. Third race, sevon and a half furlongs—Prod-ral, first; Brait, second; Puzzle, third. Time, Fourth race, one mile—Swift, first; Kosjusko Kay, second; Sam D., third. Time,
1464.
Fifth race, sixfurlongs—Neille Booker, first;
lophist, second; Unadaga, third. Time, 1:194.
Sixth race, six and a haif furlongs—Fomery
jes, first; John Arkins, second; Gallus Dan,
hird. Time, 1:264.

Death of a Famous Stallion.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 13.—The famous stallon, Homer, owned by the Messrs. Jewett, lied yesterday at their stock farm in this county, of an internal complaint. Homer was stred by Mambrino Patchen. His death was announced at the Mational Association annual sessi

banquet last evening and a toast in his honor was drank in allence.

Olympic A. A. Club

This young and enterprising jolub held its gular monthly meeting last night at the outh St. Louis Turn Hall with a large at-

attendance. Twenty-one new members were added to the list.

Mr. Adolph Wittmann was re-elected by acclamation as representative to the W. A. A. A. Mr. Wm. Schreiber was elected official handicapper for the ensuing year. The following five gentlemen were elected as Games Committee for the ensuing year: Herman Michel, Fred C. Schoenthaler, George Hugh, Jero Hanish, Fred C. Duniap. The Committee on Smokers: A. Wittmann. Louis J. Kasper, J. C. Cassel, Al Croissant and Edward Buder, reported to allow smoking. It was decided that each member be allowed to invite two of his friends. This ciub has considerable musical talent and able orators who will contribute to the entertainment. The date will be decided on shortly. The place will be South St. Louis Turn Hall. The members are all becoming very enthusiastic. One of its members as much that he has donated a \$10 prize to the member who proposes the largest amount of members from now until May 13.

The Nellie Bly Shot,

If any person were to receive a dime for every mention of Neltie Bly's name in a

If any person were to receive a dime for every mention of Neliie Bly's name in a billiard hall in St. Louis, he would have a more profitable source of income than the Granite Mountain mine. The name of the noted world eneircier has been given to a shot and aimost it variably now when a player stempts to make the shot, either he says: "Here goes a Nellie Bly!" or his partner makes some reference to the World's great tourist, such as "No Nellie Blys!" or something of that kind. The shot which has been christened after the now famed little woman is that which was previously designated as a "round the table shot."

The history of the christening is this: Several well-known young fellows were engaged in playing a game of billiards in a hall not far from Bixth and Olive streets, when one of their number, Bob Towhey, a popular and witty young fellow, was obliged to make a most difficult all-round-the-table shot in order to count. The party was in high humor and when Bob took his one for the purpose of trying the shot his friends remarked in a laughing way: "Oh, they're safe!" "No danger of Bob ever making that!" "There isn't, eh," retorted Bob, "excuse me, gentlemap, you don't know me. Nellie Bly shots are hay favorites. I can get around the table as easily as Nellie got around the world. I never miss connections on those shots." "Bob's "appropriate appellation made a genuine hit, and now "round the table shots" are no longer spoken off. When a player has a shot of that kind to make now he does not say, "Watch me go round the sable!" But "Watch me make this Nelle Bly!"

Sporting Notes.

John L. Sullivan boxed three lively rounds with Joe Lannon at Hoboken last night in the presence of 1,000 sports. The annual election of the King's Lake Club will take place on the lith of next month. The polls will be open all day at the Meacham Arms Co's.

Peter McCoy knocked out Charile Gleason in six rounds at the California Athletic Club-rooms last night.

The direct, favorite and best from 8s. Louis via Kansas City to all points in Southern Ne-braska, Kansas, Colorado and the Indian Ter itory. Close connections in Union Depot at Cansas City with solid vestibule express trains (daily) going through without change to Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo. These trains earry Pullman palace sleepers nd free reclining chair care, warmed by steam from the locomotive, and equipped with every mprovement conducive to safety and comfo Choice of routes via Denver to Sait Lake City, Helena, Portland and San Francisco Daily trains with Pullman eleeper to Wichita and free reclining chair cars to Kingfisher in Okiahoma. For through tickets, berth reservations, or further information, apply to G. D. Bacon, General Agent Passenger Department, 106 North Fourth street, St. Louis, Mo.

General Ticket and Passenger Agent. E. St. John, General Manager. HOW IT WAS WORKED.

The Committee Meeting at Which O'Day

The matter in the Post-Disparch during the which was to have made John O'Day chairman of the Democratic State Committee, and riven him control of the party in the State, has stirred up a great deal of interest, and people who know of the particulars have been sought for direct information. There is a strange reluctance to talk, however, though there are abundant condiential intimations that the statements made are correct in detail, and that certain persons could give a great deal more interesting matter if they were in a position to do so. One of these was said to be Mr. W. H. Phelps, a member of the committee. He came in from Carthage and registered at the Laclede to-day, and was seen by a POST-DISPATCH reporter and asked to tell what he knew. Mr. Phelps is a plain, easy talker, sind one must judge from his manner as well as what he says as to whether he is really fully unbosoming himself.

"Il know nothing of the matter," he said, "and I have not read the articles. Neither Mr. O'Day nor any one in his behalf requested me to support him for the place. If there was a combination to make him Chairman I was not let into it. I received several papers with marked articles recalling the splendid organisation of the party under his leadership, and suggesting that he be made Chairman again in case Matter resigned."

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'Did anyone ever speak to you about his candidacy?'

'One or two may have done so, but I did not understand or infer that they were doing so in behalf of Mr. O'Day specially. In fact, I had no idea Mr. O'Day cared to go on to the committee again, as I knew when he left the committee he did so voluntarily.''

'Were all the members of the committee present when the matter was to have been voted on?'

'Yes, either in person or by proxy?''

'Who by proxy?''

'Who by proxy?''

'W. W. Ramsey from the Fourth District and John Tolson from the Sixth. I held Ramsey's proxy and Lon Stephens of Boonville held Tolson's. This, however, is shown in the proceedings as published in the papers at the time.''

'Did the committee discuss O'Day outside of its meeting?''

'I must refuse to discuss that. The proceedings were published, and that is all I can say. Anything else was not of a public character.'

Mr. Phelps was also asked as to whether Lon Stephens had spoken to him about O'Day, but without answering the question he turned the conversation to other matters and refused to return to it.

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Southwest in regard to the grain inspection service.

"I don't pay any attention to it," he replied. "My only interest in the bill was to get a man appointed from the Twelfth District, one of the heaviest Democratic ones in the State. I falled and lost interest in it." "Perhaps your man was not an expert?" "Well, he might not have known much about wheat, but he was specially adapted for the rye department."

In connection with this there is considerable gossip around political circles to the effect that Japper Burks has expressed his fears to his friends that Commissioner Hennessey will join with Commissioner Breathlit and remove him.

Dominion Coal.

Brent & Schugges, \$17 Olive st.

BERRY & SCRUGGS, 317 Olive st.

Ticket Agents' Association JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Pob. 18.—The Inte

TO GO TO WASHINGTON.

ANOTHER WORLD'S PAIR DELEGATION TO VISIT THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

Time Past-An Important Meeting of

N important meeting of the Executive Committee of the World's Fair was held yester headquarters rooms was present, but it was concluded to pro-ceed with the business on hand at once. During the last two or

and lately the letters have assumed a much

WHEN THE BILL authorizing a loan of \$10,000,000 was introduced in the New York Legislature, the supporters of St. Louis were inclined to believe that everything except the shouting was over, and that the question of site was practically decided. This was based on the supposition generally entertained in Washington, that the without the slightest difficulty. When the political features in the matter began to make themselves manifest, the supporters of St. Louis were encouraged, as it was manifest that the metropolis would lose many votes which it could have counted upon had partisan considerations not entered into the campaign. But as the contest at Albany progressed, it became evident

that St. Louis had gained too much; that not only was there no chance of New York gain ing the prize under the conditions that pregood chance of the entire project being deany World's Fair at all. It was a recognition of this state of affairs that led the St. Louis committee to change its plan of campaign, and instead of confining itself to advancing the cause and advocating the

and instead of confining itself to advancing the cause and advocating the claims of this city to throw all its influence in favor of an international exposition, irrespective of the city in which it should be held. The success that these measures have met with, and the alliances that have been formed with the neutral members of Congress and many of the New York advocates has been told in the columns of the Fost-Disparch.

THE WASHINGTON DELEGATES are unwilling to proceed further in the campaign without instructions from the Executive Committee, and therefore a meeting was called. The situation was thoroughly and exhaustively canvassed, and it was decided that another delegation should go to the national capital and aid in conducting the St. Louis campaign before Congress. A bill will be reported within a few days by the special committee recommending the selection of a site before any other action in regard to the World's Fair is taken. That the bill will not be considered for some time is certain, and there will be an ample opportunity of studying the situation and taking such action as it deemed best. The point to be determined by the St. Louis delegation is whether the bill as reported by the special committee shall be supported, or one committing the government to a World's Fair pressed to a vote before the question of site is considered. Many are in favor of the latter proposition, but it was deemed Lest not to take any decided position at once, but to await developments.

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SHOULD A WORLD'S FAIR

be decided upon before the site is selected, it is decined certain that the exposition will be managed by the Government, and not left entirely in the hands of the Local Committee.

A large number of Congressmen will vote for the fair under these conditions who would oppose it otherwise. As to the date it was admitted that there was little likelihood that the fair could be opened in 1892. The delays incident to the slow organization of Congress have been and will be so great that no adequate period of time will be available for preparation. The change of date will, it is believed, remove many of the objections raised by those who are opposed to politice entering into the man-agement of the fair, and greatly add to the chances of its success. The following gen-tlemen will leave for Washington in a few days, where they will take charge of the cam-paign: E. O. Stanard, George W. Parker, D. R. Francis and C. C. Rainwater.

Mardi Gras and Saengerfest Rates

Via Iron Mountain Route, Tickets on sale February 9 to 16, Good to return until March 8. Pickets offices, 102 North Fourth street

Union Depot. The A. O. U. W. in Iowa.

DES MOINES, Io., Feb. 18 .- In the meeting of the Grand Lodge of the A. O. U. W. vester day reports showed that there were seventy lodges in the State and 4,195 members. The lodges in the State and 4,135 members. The treasury contains \$1,100.

The following officers were elected: Grand Master Workman, W. E. Graham; Cedar Falls; Foreman, L. L. Hamlin, Marshalltown; Overseer, W. S. Preston, Sloux City; Recorder L. O. Howland, Cedar Falls; Receiver P. H. Towle, Canton.

The next meeting of the Grand Lodge will be held at Boone.

Surprised at the City's Growth

Mr. Dayld Kohn, who founded the broker age firms of Kohn & Co. here and Kohn. Pop per & Co., in New York, as a branch, is in city on a visit, the first for four years. Mr. Kohn is one of the oldest of the St. Louis brokers, and though he moved to New York he has had a warm feeling for St. Louis at all times. Coming here after four years' ab-sence, he expresses surprise at the growth of the city, and his friends have an idea that he regards St. Louis as the best possible place for the World's Fair.

A slight cold, if neglected, often attacks the lungs. BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCKES give sure and immediate relief. Sold only in boxes. Price 25c.

Danville (III.) Sons of Veterans.

By Telegraph to the Post-Disparch.

DANVILLE, Ill., Feb. 13.—The camp of the
Sons of Veterans of this city held apprepriate exercises in their camp-room last evening, commemorating the eighty-first anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln, which by the order has been christened Union Defend-er's Day. Addresses were made by Col. W. J. Calhoun and Comrade W. B. Jewell.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children eething softens the gums and allays pain. 25c. Theodore Thomas Will Wed Miss Fay.

CHICAGO, Feb. 13 .- A morning paper says: CHICAGO, Feb. 13.—A morning paper says:
Wedding bells are soon to ring again for
Theodore Thomas, and the announcement has
added interest in this city from the fact that
his fiances is a Chicago lady of high social
position. Miss Rose Fay, the bride that is to
be, is the daughter of the late Rev. Charles
Fay, an Episcopal clergyman of Cambridge,
hass. He was a son of Judge Samuel P. Fay,
also of Cambridge, a man of considerable note
in his time. The old homestead, which is still
called Fay Hall, is a familiar spot in the
cillege town. It is only about a year since
the flev. Charles Fay died at an advanced age.
Although he never made a permanent home
in Obicago, he had many friends here, having
semporarily filled the pulpit of St. James

Episcopal Church a few years ago. The family are members of this parish.

Ten years ago several members of the family moved to Chleago, a son and three daughers having formed one household until the marriage a few months ago of Miss Lilly Fay, who is now Mrs. Wilmerding. The others were Norman Fay, formerly President of the telephone company, and now holding the same position in the Chicago Gas Trust Co.; Miss Amy Fay, the accomplished planist, and Miss Rose Fay. The latter three still form one family, residing at the present time at No. & Bellevue place.

TWO Remember that all "want" advertisers in the SUNDAY POST WANTS DISPATCH of February 16 get the FILLED. and Ophelia," to that of last Sunday.

Wearied of Living, Take Poison. Mamie Schitzler, the servant employed at the residence of Anton Kentner, 411 Lami street, who took a dose of rough on rats, yes-terday morning, died at the City Hospital at respondence with the gentlemen left in charge and was divorced about a year ago from her of affairs at Washington has been very active, husband, Albert Gutt, and this is believe to be the cause of her suicide. Before being taken to the hospital she was treated by a physician and a stomach pump applied. It was some hours after she had taken the dose that she arrived at the hospital. The unfortunate woman had a deadly palor on her face, her lower lip had a yellowish bue. She had intense thirst and sank gradually until her death occurred. Her body was removed to the Morgue this morning, and an inquest will be held on the body at the Coroner's office at a late hour this afternoon.

ANOTHER ATTEMPT.

An attempt at suicide occurred at 2126 O'Fallon street Tuesday evening, but was not reported to the police until last night. Lydia Connolly, axed 25 years, residing at the above number took a dose of morphine to end a life of which she was acting strangely and summoned a physician who discovered that the young lady had taken a dose of poison. After working with her for an hour, the physician pronounced her out of danger. to be the cause of her suicide. Before

Go Farther and Fare

Worse." If you look for better bargains than those advertised in this issue of the POST-DISPATCH you'll "get left." THE GRAND ARMY SOUTH.

lous Split Growing Out of the Jeffe son Davis Funeral,

NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 18 .- There are no two organizations in the Department of Louis-iana and Mississippi G. A. B. claiming to be the legal ones. It all grows out of the funeral of Jefferson Davis, and the acceptance by Capt. Jacob Gray, District Commander, of an invitation to attend it. Soon after the funeral Capt. Gray granted a charter to a negro post, invitation to attend it. Soon after the funeral Capt. Gray granted a charter to a negro post, his action in this matter being due to anger, the white members said, because they had criticised his action in the Davis matter, and refused to turn out with him. The white posts had repeatedly objected to admitting colored members, saying that the organization in the South would soon show a majority of negroes. This prediction has been verified. Since the organization of the first colored post is at month nine others, with \$40 members, have been organized, while she seven white posts number only \$25 members. At the election of officers the colored posts asked permission to take part in the proceedings, but the whites refused on the ground that no post organized since January I could vote for officers. The white posts then met and elected department officers, all whites. A minority of the whites seceded, joined with the colored delegates, and elected a mixed white and black ticket with Jacob Gray as District Commander. There are thus two Department Commanders, Geo. T. Hodges and Jacob Gray. The matter was submitted to Gen. Alger and Geo. H. Hopkins, addutant-general, and they declare that the colored posts had a right to participate in the election of officers. The question of regularity will have to be settled by the National Encampment: Until then there are two distinct Grand Army organizations in the department.

"DON'T FORGET TO REMEMBER"

The slaughter prices advertised by the re all merchants in this issue of the Post-DISPATCH.

WANTED IN BOSTON.

Strange Conduct of Isano R. Saw Causes His Arrest in Pertland.

PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 13 .- Isaac B. Sawtelle terious disappearance of his brother Hiram was arrested here this morning. He regis-tered at the Falmouth Hotel Monday evening under the name of J. Bridge, Dover. He at tracted the attention of the clerk, who took him for a beat. Last night the clerk read a description of Sawtelle and recognized the man. He notified the police and Bridge was placed under surveillance. This morning he went to the post-office, got a letter and proceeded to the Grand Trunk Depot, where he asked for a ticket to Detroit, but did not purchase it. He boarded the Montreal train and was then arrested. He turned pale and admitted that his name was Sawtelle.

Yeaterday a stranger called at the hotel and asked for Sawtelle, but was told there was no such person there. He saw the name Bridge on the register and said: "That is the man I want." The clerk on duty can not describe this man, but the officers are looking for him. The Boston police have been notified of Sawtelle's arrest.

For the cure or prevention of the Influenza or Grippe take Dr. Enno Sander's Double or Tenfold Carlebad Water, properly diluted with bot water.

Topeka Insurance Co. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 13.-A dispatch to

the Star from Topeka, Kan., says: Judge Sut-ton, receiver of the defunct Topeka Insurance Co., has filed his report in the District Court. Co., has filed his report in the District Court. The report would seem to indicate that not half has been told concerning the peculiar operations of this company.

The report shows that the liabilities of the company are \$23,722.43. The assets are \$22,722.43. The assets are \$22,827.53.50. but they consist of notes which are deemed practically worthless. Losses to the amount of \$20,000 have accumulated during the past six months. The company took risks no reliable company would handle. This business was unlawful, the laws of Kansas, under which the company was organized, expressly forunlawful, the laws of Kansas, under which the company was organized, expressly forbidding it. Among the risks the company took were lumber-yards, saw-mills, etc.

The report further states that when President Hines and Secretary Fuller made their annual report to Secretary Wilder, as required by law, they manipulated the figures in such a way that the concern appeared solvent when it was in debt. In swearing to these false reports Hines and Fuller are liable to imprisonment, and warrants have been issued for their arrest.

NIGGENANN'S Black Tonic, sure cure for dyspepsia, malaria, headache, colds and influenza, nervousness, rheumatism. When properly taken, personal satisfaction guaranteed.

A Good Lecture for a Good Object. It should not be forgotten that to-night at the guild room of St. George's Church Mr. Thomas Dimmock will deliver his lecture on 'The Little Church in the Tower' for the benefit of the Girls' Friendly Society, under charge of Sister Eliza. Those who attend will be repaid in more ways than one.

And few will speak evil of thee." Most people will take in the great remnant sales to-morrow, that are advertised in to-day's Post-Disparch.

Over This List of BARGAINS We Are Offering for To-Morrow,



Remnants of Dress Goods, Silks, Table Linens, Domestics, Flannels, And Odds and Ends in Every Department at Less Than 1-2 Actual Cost.

FRIDAY.

Boys' and Cirls'

Imported Ribbed Cotton Hose, full regular made, finest goods; worth 35c to 75c;

Bargain Day Friday, 10c to 20c (All Sizes.)

Bargain

10c, worth 35c 15c, worth 45c 59c.

18c, worth 55c 63c. Friday's Prices, 20c, worth 75c

1,000 Pairs KID GLOVES! SLIGHTLY IMPERFECT.

Bargain Day Friday, 290

Bargain Day Friday, WORTH \$1.25.

ident Miller and Vice-President O'Connell Have Not Given Up the Ship. "I will bet you \$10 to \$5 that the board won" be reorganized," said Vice-President John W. O'Connell this morning in reply to a Post-DISPATCH reporter's reference to his prospective immersion in the soup. "Yes, I'll bet \$700 to \$250 that the present make-up of

the board will be unchanged until next No-"On what grounds do you base your

"On what grounds do you base your hopes?"
"Well, never mind, I'm not telling that. But you mark what I say and see if I ain't right."
This conversation took place in the Superintendent of Schools' office, and Mr. O'Connell had hardly finished the utterance of his prediction when in walked President Miller. He seemed to be in a most happy frame of mind, notwithstanding that his removal has hean desermined on. mind, notwithstanding that his removal has been desermined on.
"I am not the kind of a man who gives up, and I have not given up. I am not out of that office yet, and what's more I don't think I will be until my term is out."
This declaration pleased Mr. O'Connell, as it was corroborative of his prediction, and he said to the reporter, "Did you hear that?"
"Yes," resumed Mr. Millier, "There is often a slip 'twix the cup and the lip, and some of those gentlemen may find it out. Or let me see: I guess they ought to know that," and Mr. Millier and Mr. O'Connell smiled at the humorous reference to the occasion when the lips of Director Bosley et al. falled to connect with the vessel referred to in the aphorism.

the lips of Director Bosley et al. falled to connect with the vessel referred to in the aphorism.

"You gentlemen seem to be strangely sangule under the circumstances," said the reporter.

"I'll tell you," said President Miller, "I might be accused of holding the principles of three parties. On school affairs, I am as theroughly one a Mugwump as ever you saw; on national politics I am a Republican, but when in office I am list be some and in office I am list be an end of the conversation drifted on to Mr. Bollman's explanation of his action in going into the combine for reorganization. In justice to Mr. Bollman a further explanation of his position than was given yesterday is proper. As he himself said in his interview he has been sick and annoyed lately, and he did not make his position therefore as clear as he might. His explanation is this: When the election was held at which Mr. Miller was chosen, he voted for Dr. Anier for President, because he thought it was his duty to do so. If he had regarded his personal promptings, he would have voted for Mr. Miller. But duty was a higher consideration with him. He therefore voted for Dr. Anier. When Mr. O'Connell, however, bolted the Auler caucus and voted for Miller, and to change his vote in compilment to that gentlemen. When, however, by an acquisition from the supporters of Miller the opposition had recovered their original strength, Mr. Bollman felt called upon to vote to reorganize the board and put Dr. Auler in as Fresident, by the same sense of duty as had actuated him in doing so in the first place in disregard of his personal feelings.

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The signatures to the resolution for reorganization were scrutinized this morning by President Miller and others. The last man to sign was Director Henry Trail. He was one of the men that the Freedent most firmly re-

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Children's Muslin Drawers, good cotton, Bargain Day, Friday, 10c; worth 25c. 19c.

Ladies' Chemise, good muslin, lace trimmed, full size. Bargain Day, Fri-day, 19c; worth 25c.

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Skirt, with deep flounce of Hamburg embroidery, good cotton, Bargain Day, Friday, 59c; worth 98c.

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79c. Mother Hubbard Gown, yoke of fine Torchon insertion. Bargain Day, Fri-day, 79e; worth \$1.25.

Skirt, with deep flounce of Hamburg embroidery, Bargain Day, Friday, 98c; worth \$1.50.

\$1.39. Skirt, elegant, trimmed in Torchon in

sertion and lace, Bargain Day, Friday, Great Reduction in slightly soiled Underwear, 39C which we shall close out at a mere fraction of Cost.

lied on, and when he saw his name the last on the list he exclaimed, in an "Et tu, Brute!" tone of voice, "I never would have believed it."

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Time to St. Paul Beduced. The latest improvement in train service from St. Louis has been put into effect on the St. Louis, St. Paul and Minneapolis through

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'And makes quicker time to these cities than any competior. Ticket offices, corner Broadway and Olive street and Union Depat.''

SHOT HIS MOTHER, The Deed of a 16-Year-Old Boy in a Men-

BUTTE, Mont., Feb. 18.-At noon yesterday revolting orime was committed at Burling ton, a quiet mining village three miles west of here. Mrs. Bryant kept a boarding-house for miners, and, being an industrious woman, had saved about \$300 which she kept in a had saved about \$300 which she kept in a trunk in her bedroom. She had three children, the eldest a boy, Thomas Bryant, aged about 16. His father about a year ago went to Australia and Mrs. Bryant was to have joined him this spring. Thomas frequently quarreled with his mother, and had a quarrel with her yesterday morning. Shortly after she found him in her bedroom rifling her trunk and a stormy seens ensued. The only witness to what followed is the 2-year-old daughter of Mrs. Bryant, who says that her mother and Tom had a struggle and that Tom drew a pistol and shot his mother. She fell dead by the side of her trunk. The bow lost no time, but taking another pistol left the house by the rear door, going over the hill in a westerly direction. The neighbors soon gathered, alarmed at the noise, saw the dead woman, learned the cause and a dozen men were soon in hot pursuit. He managed to eiude his

Mail Ponches Cut Open FORT SMITH, Ark., Feb. 18.—Three mounders brought in by the north bound 'Frie pouches brought in by the north bound 'Frisco express at I o'clock yesterday morning were out open and the registered packages taken by some thief who hid in the baggage room where the mail pouches were placed until this morning. Nothing else was disturbed. The amount secured is not known, and the thief left no clue by which he can be traced. No fault whatever is attached to the Postmaster, as the railroad has to deliver the mail to the post-office.

Penny Wise and Pound

Bargain Day Bargain Day, Friday Bargain Day, Friday.

House Furnishing Goods. FRIDAY—BARGAIN DAY—FRIDAY DON'T MISS THIS.

FRENCH DRIP COFFEE POTS. 8 quarts, Half Price, Friday......50e 4 quarts, Half Price, Friday......60c 5 quarts, Half Price, Friday......72e

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IMPORTED GRANITE IRON WARE. We have now in stock a full line of this pretty Blue and White Table and Kitchen Ware, and invite comparison with any other goods in the market.

New Goods Every Day now in our HOUSEHOLD DEPARTMENT.

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Card hooks and eyes. I dozen safety pins, Cake toilet soap. I dozen white pearl buttos Paper American pins. Best rubber tip lead pencils. Roll black and white cotton tape. 4-in ch rubber hair-pins, black, shell and amber. Japanese fans. Tape messures. Bone and steel crochet hooks. Jet shawl pins, 6 on card, 1c card. Box show blacking.

The Pacific Express Co. Awaiting the Capture of Walton. A telegram received by the Pacific Ex-press Co. last night announced that F. A. Walton, the abscending money clerk, had been traced to Montreal. Since then Supt. Fuller has heard nothing, but is awaiting the announcement of the capture of Waiton at announcement of the capture of Waiton as any time, though it is possible that he has gotten out of Canada. Just what can be done with Waiton after the capture is uncertain, and it is also doubtful if any of the \$35,000 sicien can be recovered. He can be arrested in Canada for taking stolen money into the country, but whether the money can be recovered, unless by a compromise which would leave Waiton free, is not known to the officials here. In case this is true, the officials of the company are opposed to any compromise, and will probably run the risk of losing the money rather than consent to its.

WHY is it that people take Salvation Oil? Answer: Because it is good and cheap. 25c.

Byder-O'Conner. ST. JACOBS, Ill., Feb. 13.-Mr. L. Ryder and Miss Annie O'Conner were married at the Catholic Church in Marine yesterday by Eev. Eggenstein. The bride's mother resides near here, and the young couple have many friends here.

Could scarcely devise more excruciating toriures than those of which you see the evidences in the face of a rheumatic or neuralgic suffers. The agonies are the consequences of not checking rheumatic or neuralgic attack at the outset. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters has been found by skillful medical practitioners to possess not only remedial, but defensive efficacy where those diseases exist, or a tendency to them is exhibited. Sure this pulsant but as to botain medicine, bearing, too, such high specific sanction, is better than the poisons often employed, but most unsafe, not only in continuance, but is isolated doses. The blood is depurated thoroughly from the rheumatic virus, and the nerves, slightly impurged upon, saved from utilmate and directly throse by this boulen, saving medicine, which

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THE TENTS OF BOOMERS DOT THE PRAIRIES OF THE RICH RESERVATION.

Town Sites Planned on Every Hand-The Scene Opposite Pierre—Thousands Still Flocking Across the Border—How Entries Are to Be Made-Secretary Proctor



HE official an-nouncement from the War Department day morning by Col. was in a hubbub of which would be hard to describe.

rushed into the town and about ten persons claimed each town lot. Several fist fights have occurred, but as yet no blood has been

shed.
Some will be as a wagon load of beer and whisky and several gambling outfits are there. Being free from military restraint the boomers are drinking freely and gambling openly in the streets, boys, men, half-breeds, squaws and Indians standing shoulder to shoulder and betting the money kept to buy provisions, the Indian betting the money he received for his interest in the ground sold.

The Crush From Chamberlain.

CHAMBERLAIN, S. D., Feb. 18 .- A crowd of ople from the Milwaukee road rushed into e town site west of this city yesterday and began surveying and laying down lines reess of the settlers already on the ground. gardless of the settlers already on the ground. They inid out streets, alleys and sidewalks irrespective of the rights of anyone and as a result several fist fights, knock-downs and wrestling matches occurred. A meeting of the first settlers was held and a compromise attempted, but not effected. Blood will yet be shed. Building goes on rapidly, night and day. Stores have opened and to-morrow morning a newspaper will be issued. A city will be organized in a day or so with a population of 5,000 and not one of them owning a single foot of ground. The fields for miles are now dotted with houses, and prairie echooners can be

ASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 13 .- Speaking of the opening of the Sloux reservation, Secctor says that he had not received official notice of the issue of the proclamation till yesterday morning, when he had immediately sent Gen. Ruger a telegram. It was his idea that all trouble had ceased as soon as his word reached the military authorities. He was under the impression that the telegraphic reports from Chamberlain and Pierre were much exaggerated, as Senator Pettigrew, who called on him this morning, told him that the stories of the great crowds of newcomers at Chamberlain were totally wrong, since he had private advices showing that there were only five men there besides the regular settlers.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 13.-Secretary ceive no filings for entry of land on the Sloux lands just ceded to the United States in any case when there is good reason to believe that the same are for lands to which individual Indians have a right under the act of 1889, and all such entries made in any way will be can-celed.

Dominion Coal.

For grate fires and general domestic use. BERRY & SCRUGGS.

CONTENTS OF A TRUNK,

Which Shows the Art a Woman Displays in

By Telegraph to the Post-Disparch. PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 13.-The ways of e are not half so mysterious as the art which les a woman to pack a pile of goods 8 by worderful feminine faculty was given yester-day in Judge Gordon's court, in the suit of worderful feminine faculty was given yesterday in Judge Gordon's court, in the suit of Mrs. Laura Doison against the Pennsylvanis Road to recover damages for the loss of a trunk. In the course of her testimony, Mrs. Doison showed that she had stowed away nearly \$700 worth of dry goods and sundries in a \$15 trunk. She was, before her marriage to Dr. Charles W. Doison, Miss Laura V. Hayes, a member of the McCauli Opera. She is a slender demi-brunette of prepossessing appearance and with a dramatic delivery. She was dressed in a dark green suit with gold trimmings and a black velvet bodiec. Gold bands encircled her wrists and diamonds sparkled from her ears. Mrs. Doison told the court and jury how in 1884 the company had to make a jump from this city to Boston, and that the trunk she had expressed and for which she had obeck No. 66 had never reached its destination. When asked to attate the contents of the missing trunk and their value the artist gave the following enumeration: One extra long sealskin wrap, valued at \$250; one black satin dress, one black slik dress, \$75; one garnet slik dress, \$75; one brown fannel dress, \$16; one blue fiannel dress, \$16; one for garnet valvet jacket, \$5; one bink satin sacque, \$5; one blue and white doth sacque, \$5; green felt hat, \$5; gray slik hat, \$3; black slik hat, \$35; dossamer waterproof, \$3. 80; umbrella, \$4; overshoes, \$0.75; fur collar, \$5; muff, \$5; two hand mirrors, \$5; jensey waist, \$2; sundries, including ribbons, buttons, buckles, gold thimble, scissors, plees of green dress cloth, hand-knit hood, pair of hand-knit mittens, handkerdhiefs, alligator bag, stockings, etc., \$10; owe underwaff, \$35; and one

stage dress, \$5.

The company's defense was that the trunk had been delivered and the cheek surrendered. In his argument to the jury, however, the fair plaintiff's lawyer dangled check No. 65 in front of the jurors' eyes. After a short consultation the jury returned a verdict for \$873.75, or \$30 less than the amount the goods were valued at.

**Go Farther and Fare

Worse." If you look for better bargains than those advertised in this issue of the

Another Heir to Bean's Millions. NHAM, Tex,, Feb. 18.—There is now this city a woman named Danna from Ten-nessee who claims to be a sister of the late

SHE TAUGHT HIM GERMAN. Story of a Cook Who Sues Her Em

By Telegraph to the Post-Disparch.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—Johanna Josephine Gunther, a pretty and modest sppearing young German girl, was the plaintiff in a \$50,000 breach of promise suit, brought to trial yesterday before Judge Erlien. John McKee, by whom she was recently employed niddle-aged bachelor, whose life was com paratively obscure until recently, when he inherited a large sum, said to be \$200,000, under the will of Sarah Morrow. He was a candidate for the Assembly on the Prohibition ticket at the last election. Johanna stated that she was employed in January, 1889, by Mr. McKee as a cook. She had not been long in charge of the culinary debartment when a boiler of hot water was upset under her feet, scaiding them severely. For several days she had to lie on a lounge in the front basement of Mr. McKee's residence. No. 73 East Thirty-ninth street. He became, as she says, very assiduous in his care of her, and acted as a general nurse. During this period of tenderness Mr. McKee asked her to teach him German.

"And you did so, I suppose?" she was asked. inherited a large sum, said to be \$200,000

"I did," she replied. town was hitched up and away they went packed with men for the reservation, and in a few minutes the town was deserted and business was suspended. About 5,000 people left here for a staked plain yesterday and this morning that plain is a busier looking place than the town of Pierre. Lumber yards are depleted, very little building material remains in the town, and the saw and hammer have been the magio wands that changed the field to the thriving settlement. Work is carried on by the light of fires, lamps and candies, and the sight from a distance at the fire the process of the tuition."

"I did," she replied.

"A testimony was simply a recital of the old, old story. One day her mother, while German books to him." Johanna's further.

Later on she asked McKee to fulfil his promise of marriage, but be replied that he could not marry her, but if she would remain with the solution."

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work is carried on by the light of fires, lamps and candles, and the sight from a distance at night is really a laughable one; lights fitting to and fro, men running, hammers resounding, saws hawking, and yet not a human form visible. It is like a colony of Brownies building a city in a single night.

At Fort Pierre the situation is serious and there is going to be trouble. The settlers rushed into the town and about ten persons claimed each town lot. Several fist fights

"How did you come into court?" counsel "How did you come into court? counselinguired.
"Through the door, sir," was the reply. It did not occur to her, she afterwards stated, that McKee intended to marry Johanna, because she did not believe that a rich man would marry a poor servant girl. Subsequently McKee told her of the present suit, but said Johanna would never get a cent. She was present when Johanna left.
"The parting was peculiar," said the witness.

"The parting was peculiar," said the witness.

"In what way?" she was asked.

"Mr. McKee invited us all up stairs to take some wine."

This closed the case for the plaintiff.
The defense is blackmail, although the counsel, on opening the case on McKee's behalf, asserted that it was simply a case of delusion and that the alleged improprieties on the part of the defendant never took place.

Remember that all "want" WANTS advertisers in the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH of February 16 get the FILLED. and Ophelia," to that of last Sunday.

A PITIFUL TALE.

A Babe Dies in Its Mother's Arms on the Streets of New York.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH. bench in the Church Street Station-house there lay yesterday morning the tiny form of a child, whose little life only began New Year's Day and was already ended. It had been frozen to death. Beside the lifeless creature crouched a young mother raining kisses and tears on the small, cold face. She was shivering, starving, deserted and heart-

In the gray dawn Mrs. Margaret Hines tottered into the station-house, wan and wild-eyed. She clutched to her breast the dead baby, whose rigid form she vainly sought to warm and nourish. Every effort to take it from her was strenuously resisted. She only held it tighter and moaned piteously, "Oh, my, child, my child, I could not help it." The poor soul was gently led down stairs to the fire. Some women lodgers rose from their station-house cots and gathered around her. Their appearance was rough, but the little mother's sorrow touched some tender memory deep in their hearts, and they were very gentle with her. By and by one woman succeeded in drawing the dead child from her grasp and laid it on a bench close by. Then the mother quickly tore off a threadbare shawl and folded it to make softer her baby's resting place. Food was brought to the halfgrasp and laid it on a bench close by. Then the mother quickly tore off a threadbare shawl and folded it to make softer her baby's resting place. Food was brought to the half-fainting woman and little by little, as she revived somewhat, she told her sad atory.

In Ireland four years ago she married "John," who was a sweetheart and a sailor lad. A year ago they came to America. Two months before her baby came, the husband, who was no longer her lover, deserted her. Her little child was born in the charity hospital. When she left there she had no money, no friends, and a baby in her arms that proved an inseperable barrier to obtaining work. A country woman living on Bayard street gave her temporary shelter at night, and day by day she tramped up and down seeking employment. Sometimes she got scrubbing to do and was less starved while that lasted, but existence had become a bitter struggle. "At last," she said, "I had no money and there was no place for me to lay my head. I scrubbed a little yesterday and got a bite for it, but for three nights I have had no place to sleep, so I walked up and down. It was 30 clock this morning and I was on Fourteenth street. My darling had been so quiet for a long time I wondered. So I turned into a hallway to nurse him. His little face felt strangely cold. The cheek that lay on my breast was warm, but the other side was stiff and chilly. Blood was coming from his nose. Just then a man passed and heard me cry out, and he came and touched my child and told me it was dead. He said I should come to the station and somebody showed me here."

Mrs. Hines was shaken by grief and told her story between heavy sobs. When it was ended she bowed her head and sat a picture of utter woe beside her dead baby. Yosterday showed me here."

Deputy Coroner Jenkins kave Mrs. Himes some money for her immediate wants and promised to secure employment for her. Unless some money for her immediate wants and promised to secure employment for her. Unless some money for her immediate wants and promised to sec

We Know Very Little

About dry goods. We deal in events. But our wives tell us that Friday is a great bargain day. Read the advertisements in this issue of the POST-DISPATCH.

SHOT HIS FRIEND.

An Illinois Boy of 14 Plays the Role of Highwayman.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH. DANVILLE, Ill., Feb. 13 .- Howard Barnett la years old, of Hoopeston, this county, on Sunday last went to visit a family friend living on a farm, named James Correll, who went to market a few days after with some poultry accompanied by young Barnett. Cornell sold the poultry and loaned Barnett some change with which he bought some cartridges for his pistol and, returning home, Barnett presented his loaded pistol to Corneil's
head and demanded his money. He made
a second demand giving the time to
count three. The money not being forthcoming he fired, the ball taking effect in Carroll's
forehead and lodging in the base of his brain.
Young Barrett, seeing some one coming, fied.
Carroll recovered consciousness and proceeded to a Justice of the Peace and swore
out a warrant for Barrett, who has not been
arrested. He was a constant reader of light,
trashy literature.

We Know Very Little

About dry goods. We deal in events. But our wives tell us that Friday is a great bar-gain day. Read the advertisements in this issue of the Poar-Disparch. WHY FARMERS SUFFER.

BISHOP FINK ON THE RESULTS OF PROTECTIVE TABIFF.

Brings Riches to the Few and Poverty t the Masses-Why Catholics Are Not Per mitted to Become Members of the Alliance-Vicar-General Brady's Views on

CHICAGO, Feb. 13 .- A dispatch from Kansas Clay, Mo., says: In a lenten pastoral letter to be read in all the churches of the diocese of Leavenworth, Kan., Bishop Fink of the Roman Catholic Church, referring to the Farmers' Alliance movements, caused by the agricultural depression, says: "We may say that, surrounded by a bountiful crop as we that, surrounded by a bountiful crop as we are, many of our people are suffering and are in misery, uncertain what they should do in the future. The complaints come not only from the laboring classes in clies who are without work, but especially from the country districts from the farming population which feels that matters cannot be as they are for an indefinite number of years or they would lose their house and home. Owing to the peculiar state of our country every one suffers when the farming population is in distress. Thoughtful persons are well aware that the present grievances of the farmers are but too true. It seems that almost every industry in our country is protected in order to amass riches in the hands of the few by which the many will have to suffer. The only classes not protected are those who would seem to need it most—the laboring men and the farming population."

The bishop reviews the bonstitution of the farmers' Alliance and holds that no Catholic can join the order because of its secrecy and because it virtually has a chaplain of its own. This latter point he discusses at length and deciares that if the Alliance will drop its religious. Should Drop the Sectarian Features.

Should Drop the Sectarian Features. Vicar-General Brady of this diocese was patch, and after acquainting himself with its contents, said that Bishop with its contents, said that Bishop Fink's remarks were timely and to the point. "There is no doubt whatever," he said, "that the Farmers' Association would be greatly strengthened, and their scope of usefulness extended if they would only drop their rituals and chapiains. They are business organizations established for the protection of farmers and the industry they represent, and I cannot see the necessity of introducing religious features. They are composed of men representing all creeds and denominations, and any ritual they adopt cannot satisfy all. In this diocese, which includes the entire eastern half of Missouri, the same question arose any rivual sney adopt cannot satisfy all. In this diocese, which includes the entire eastern half of Missouri, the same question arose some years ago. We were then asked if Catholics could join the Wheel and the Farmers' Alliance, both of which are represented in Southeast Missouri. We then objected to the semi-religious character of the societies, and we have yet to be given some good reason for the necessity of having chaplains and rituals in such an organization. They are organized for business and should be conducted on a business instead of a religious basis. Let the farmers' union drop these features and devote their meetings to business so that Catholics generally can conscientiously enter them and thus by increasing the membership extend the range of their usefulness."

Fully 1,700 Singers Participate in the

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 13 .- Fully 1,700 singers participated in the opening of the Saengerfest last night. The delegations were welcomed by Gov. Nicholis and Mayor Shakespeare. The orchestra consisted of fifty pieces, under the direction of Prof. Gustave Bach, and was composed of the best instrumental talent to be found in the country. The Auditorium,

be found in the country. The Auditorium, capable of seating 5,500 people, was crowded; there was scarcely standing room in the wide aisies, and the galieries were well filled. The first concert was a thorough success, and gave promise that the succeding ones will be even greater triumphs.

The concert opened with a grand jubilee overture by the orchestra. The United Singers of New Orleans, Mobile and San Autonio, under the direction of Prof. Carl Welss, accompanied by the band, sang Mendelssohn's Festival Ode to the artists, and both renditions were received with applause.

Ex-President Leopoid Methudy of St. Louis, of the North American Sængerbund, then presented to President Jacob Hassinger, of the Twenty-sixth Sængerfest, the standard of the National Union of Singers in an address which elicited unbounded applause. President Hassinger accepted the banner on like terms. The emblem was then decorated by Miss Etta Roen, and Miss Theresa Herbert Forester, soprano of the Metropolitan Opera Co., in New York, sang. "Il Greet Thee, Hall onrop, denied this. He corporation has not paid us a swarded to the second prize, a pair of kid gives, to Mr. Skulping.

In a singer accepted the barneron like. President Mr. Wm. Wurdack, formerly Superintend. If we second prize, a pair of kid gives, to Mr. Wm. Wurdack, formerly Superintend. If we succeeded in collecting the first prevent has inger accepted the barneron like. State Boen, and Miss Theress Herbert Forester, soprano of the Metropolitan Opera. Co., in New York, sang, "I greet Thee, Hall So Dear."

Arrival of the Chicago Contingent, which necessitated some changes in the programme.

Arrival of the Chicago Delegation.

New Orleans, Feb. 13.—At 8:30 o'clock this orning the Chicago contingent to the Saen feet arrived on the Queen and Cresent having been delayed by the accident which met with the second prize for ladies, as set of after-discovery and brilliantly illuminating the chicago contingent to the Saen feet arrived on the Queen and Cresent having been delayed by the accident which met with flowers and brilliantly illuminating the chicago contingent to the Saen frest arrived on the Queen and Cresent having been delayed by the accident which met with flowers are contingent to the Saen frest arrived on the Queen and Cresent having been delayed by the accident which met with flowers are contingent to the Saen frest arrived on the Queen and Cresent having the chicago contingent to the Saen frest arrived on the Queen and Cresent having the chicago contingent to the Saen frest arrived on the Queen and Cresent having the chicago contingent to the Saen frest arrived on the Queen and Cresent having the chicago contingent to the Saen frest arrived on the Queen and Cresent having the chicago contingent to the Saen frest arrived on the Queen and Cresent having the chicago contingent to the Saen frest arrived on the Queen and Cresent having the chicago contingent to the Saen frest arrived on the Queen and Cresent having the chicago contingent have the frest having the chicago contingent have a chicago continge

morning the Chicago contingent to the Saengerfest arrived on the Queen and Cresent line, having been delayed by the accident at Coaling, Ala. The societies which were on the train which met with the necident were the Fidelia and Frohsinn societies; Junior Maennerchor, Liederkranz, Onward Liedertafol, and the Orpheus. Swiss and Teutonia Meennerchors of Chicago, 550 in all with Musical Director Herman Mohr. The visitors expressed themselves as being yery thankful at having escaped injury by the collision and beyond the excitement and fear consequent on the accident, only three of the excursionists were injured, Messrs. Miller, Lindmann and Wm. Jung of Chicago, who were at the time in the dining car, which was just behind the baggage car. The accident occurred at about 9:30 o'clock and physicians were sentfor from Tuscalcona. The injuries of the three excursionists were not of a serious nature, one having received a scalp wound, one having his leg basised and the other less severely so injured. The engineer of the train was cut in half, the lower portion of his body having been found in the ruins of the cab and the other in another portion of the wheek of the locemotive. The delayed singers received a hearty welcome. They were met at the depot by a delegation of New Orleans singers with a band of music, a procession was formed and they were escorted to the hotel assigned to them for quarters. They will take part in the second concert, which will be given this afternoon.

Penny Wise and Pound

Foolish." To-morrow will be the greatest day of the week for saving. Read the nnant ads in this issue of the Post-Dis-PATCH and profit thereby.

VALENTINES IN THE POST-OFFICE. The Bush Has Not Yet Begun-It Will Be

Confined to One Day. The influence of St. Valentine's day has hardly been felt as yet in the Post-office. Up to this morning there was not a professed valentine to be seen in the great mass of mail matter going through the system of distribu-tion and dispatch. This morning's receipt tion and dispatch. This morning's receipts from the city were small. Few persons anticipated the lath so much as to get their sentimental or mocking missives in the hands of the carriers for to-day's delivery. Even persons living in other cities who are interested in St. Louisans were careful enough to wait matters to reach the city to-morrow. Until a few years ago this care was not taken by senders. There was formerly too much eaverness and interest on city to-morrow. Units tew years ago this care was not taken by senders. There was formerly too much eagerness and interest on both sides to permit of this great delay—the lith could not be waited for. There will be a rush to-morrow. Valentines have not quite gone out of fashlon. The day is declining, but not wholly wiped off the calendar. This concentration of the load in one day is not fancied by the letter carriers in the Post-office. No extra men can be employed no matter how great the rush may be, for there is no money allowed by the department for their pay. Provision is made for extra men during the Christmas season and Fair Week, but the valentines that cannot be delivered on February it must wait for the 15th and be glad they are delivered so soon. It is expected that tonight's collections will be very heavy, as dealers in valentines have nad considerable

Mrs. V. Reber has friends visiting her from Mrs. Morrell is entertaining Miss Shupling from New Jersey. from New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rood of Denver are here for a few days.

Mrs. Bascome of Delmar aveue gives a large eard party next Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Shule is visiting her sister, Mrs. Frazier, and expects to leave soon for her home. Mrs Edwin Lee and her little son left for Chicago Sunday to be absent a few weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Abbott will spend a year in Mexico, learing for the South this week. Mrs. Affred Chappel of 8686 Delmar avenue, gives a luncheon to-day to her lady friends. Mrs. V/m. Monks gives a card party this vening at her residence on West Pine street. Mrs. Puegnet and her daughter, Miss Marie Puegnet, give a reception next Tuesday after-

Mrs. Schroeder and daughter arrived home Saturday, after a pleasant visit to relatives in Mrs. Howard Blossom's cards were issued yesterday for a ladies' reception on Monday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Nat Pierce arrived on Tuesday from Cuba, where they have been spending several weeks.

several weeks.

The Nemo Club give their fourth party on Tuesday evening, March II, at Mabler's Assembly rooms.

The Cinderella Club, gave their fourth party last Monday evening, which was a very handsome affair.

Mrs. H. B. Branner of Knoxville, Tenn., who has been here visiting friends, leaves for her home next week.

Miss Lu Applegate expects her sister from California, and they make a short visit to Keytesville next Tuesday. Miss Pearlie Hart leaves for her home in Aberdeen, Miss., next Wednesday, after a pleasant visit to friends here.

Mrs. A. Gehner gave a handsome dinner last week complimentary to Mrs. Harry Sweeney of 464 Morgan street.

Mrs. G. Rosanbarg of Mrs. Mrs. G. Rosenberg of 3420 Washington avenue gave a birthday party yesterday in compliment to her daughter Helen. pliment to her daughter Helen.

Mrs. L. Jackson is expecting her daughter,
Mrs. Yerger, and Mr. Yerger next week. They
will remain here only a fortnight.

Mrs. Penfield of Cleveland is now south for
the winter; her mother, Mrs. Bottsford, will
join her next month at Hot Springs.

Mrs. D. N. Smith came down in a special
car from Sedalia to spend a day or two shopping. She is at the Southern Hotel.

Mrs. Dyer leaves for New Orleans Wednes-day and will meet her daughter there, when they will go for a few weeks to Florida. Miss Fannie Haggerty left on Tuesday night with quite a large party of young ladies, to spend the carnival season in New Orleans.

Mrs. I Donovan of Pine street gives a handsome party to her boys Valentine night, February 14. Music and dancing will be the order of the evening.

Mrs. Brownell gives a musicale Saturday Mrs. Brownell gives a musicale Saturday evening complimentary to her guest, Mrs. Blood, and has invited friends, some fine musicians, to meet her.

Annie Barrett, arrived this morning from Sedalia, and are guests of Mr. Wm. Nichols' family on Olive street.

Mrs. J. R. Griffeth and her neice, Miss Laughinghouse, left on Wednesday for New Orleans, where they will join her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Bogy.

brates then her loth birthday.

Mrs. Walter S. Bartley entertained the ''Skat'' Club, of which she is a member, last week. This game bids fair to take the place of P. E. among society people.

Mrs. Lieut. Wood is here with her mother, Mrs. Green. and will remain until her husband's return from his cruise. He leaves on the Alliance for a cruise of two years.

Mrs. P. J. Compingham of Tax.

to her little daughters, Kaile and Grace.

The "Wail Builders" of the Second Presbyteriau Church will give their annual candypulling on Saturday afternoon in the church parlors, and hope for a large number of friends in attendance.

The "Good Time" P. E. Club had a most delightful evening Monday, and will reorganize early next fall. The first prize, an ostrich fan with amber handles, was awarded to Mrs. Bartley; the second prize, a bamboo table with brass ornaments, to Miss Shulping. The first gentleman's prize, a half-dozen silk handkerchiefs; was awarded to Mr. P. Smith; the second prize, a pair of kid gloves, to Mr.

many handsome and valuable presents.

The Common Sense Club was entertained on Tuesday by Dr. and Mrs. Mchityre. The first prize for ludies, a set of after-dinner coffees, was awarded to Mrs. M. D. Lyle; the second prize, a cut glass bottle filled with perfume, was won by Mrs. Kurtzeborn. The first gentlemen's prize, a book, "The Pleasures of Life," was won by Mr. Owens, and the second prize, a bottle of perfume, was won by Mr. O'Rellly. The guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Lyle, Mr. and Mrs. Kurtzeborn, Mr. and Mrs. J. Donovan, Mrs. L. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Donovan, Mr. and Mrs. O'Rellly, Mrs. Pettengili, Mrs. Rodus, Mrs. Pugn and Mrs. McCullogh. Mrs. L. Jackson of 3132 Pine street has the next club meeting.

The "Self-Improvement Musicale." The "Self-improvement Musicale" was enertained this week by Mrs. A. Kuntzeborn, whose lovely home is well adapted for such

The Case Submitted to the Police To-Day for Selution.

Mrs. W. C. Johnston of No. 796 West Madion street, Chicago, writes to the Chief of Police concerning her son, Henry A. Johnwho ran away from his home on the 3d inst. He left with another boy, who returned over a week ago and fold a highly improbable story about six roughs jumping in a car with story about six roughs jumping in a car with them and threatening to strip them of their clothing. The boy says he jumped out of the ear, and Johnston attempted to follow his example, but was captured by the men and held. This all occurred near "Tolonto," the lady writes, and the men agreed that if separated to meet either at St. Louis or Cairo. By Tolonto is probably meant Tolono, Hi., or it may be Toronto, Canada. Mrs. Johnston is very much worried over her son, who is 16 years of age, 5 feet 5 inches, and has dark hair and light eyes.

Don't Go to Bed

A RAILROAD FAILURE.

APPLICATION FOR A RECEIVER OF THE CENTRAL MISSOURI RAILEOAD CO.

wenty Miles of Track and Fifty Miles of Untracked Grade to Be Managed by the United States Circuit Court - Seriou Construction Company Trick.

HE affairs of the Cen-

tral Missouri Rail-road Co. and its successor, the Cleveland, St. Louis & Kansas City Ballroad Co. have been in a terrible tangle for some time. But J. H. Overall mewhat surprised

this morning in the United States Circuit Court, to ask on behalf of the Farmers' Loan & Trust Co. of New York that a receiver be appointed to take possession of the property. The bill he presented asked for the forselower of the second was opposed by the lien-holders' attorney, who disputed the principal allegations of the bill and got time until Wednesday of next week to file affiday its attacking the bill. The complainant will have three days to file coun-

affidavits.
THE CENTRAL MISSOURI RAILROAD CO. was authorized to build a railway from Kansas City across the State to a point on the Mississippi River opposite Alton, Ill., with two branches. One branch was to be built from St. Charles to St. Louis, twenty-five miles, and the other twelve miles off the main line in Howard County to Fayette. On June 1, 1887, an issue of 8,000 bonds, \$1,000 each, bearing 5 per cent payable semieach, bearing 5 per cent payable semi-annually, maturing June 1, 1897, was re-solved on and subsequently 250 of these bonds were sold. To secure them the Farmers' Loan & Trust Co., as trustee, was given a mortgage on all the property of the railway company. On March 28, 1888, the property of the Cen-tral Missouri Railroad Co. was sold to the Cleveland, St. Louis & Kansas City Railroad, and an arrangement was made with the holders of Central Missouri bonds by which they were to exchange for Cleveland

and an arrangement was made with the holders of Central Missouri bonds by which they were to exchange for Cleveland, St. Louis & Kansas. City bonds, issue \$7,000,000 April 2, 1888, bearing 5 percent interest, maturing December 1, 1927, Central Trust Co. trustee of mortgage. This arrangement was never consummated by the sursender and cancellation of the Central Missouri bonds, the Farmers' Loan & Trust Co. contends, though the lien holders' attorney claims it was. The Farmers' Trust Co. claims that there was default of interest last June and again last December, and the lien holders' deny that there was default. There have been

TWENTY MILES OF ROAD BUILT from St. Charles to Hamburg, and this is being operated by the C., St. L. & K. C. The other construction work done is the grading from St. Charles to the point on the Mississippi opposite-Alton, and from Hamburg to station \$,800 in Warren County, a distance of thirty miles.

The principal lien holder is Zach Shrop, who

orieans, where they will join her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Bogs.

The "Presbyterian Social Union," numbering about two hundred ladies, will give their banquet next Monday evening, February 17, at Mahler's Assembly Rooms.

Mrs. J. L. Ford of 3025 Locust street, gives a large party to-morrow evening, in compliment to her little daughter Eisle, who celebrates then her loth birthday.

Mrs. Walter S. Bartley entertained the "Skati" Club, of which she is a member, last week. This game bids fair to take the place of P. E. among society people.

Mrs. Green. and will remain until her husband's return from his cruise. He leaves on the Alliance for a cruise of two years.

Mrs. P. J. Cunningham of 3703 Lindell avenue, gives a beautiful valentine party to-morrow evening, February 14, in compliment to her little daughters, Katle and Grace.

The "Wall Builders" of the Second Presbyteriau Church will give their annual candypuiling on Saturday afternoon in the church parlors, and hope for a large number of friends in attendance.

Account of Their Office

The Notaries Public have for a number of years been exempt from jury duty, but they will henceforth be obliged to serve when called up unless able to present some better excuse than the mention of their office has heretofore been. The decision has been made by Judge Klein. Joseph E. McGinnis, a notary, was summoned as a juror in Judge Klein's court, but took no notice of the sumklein's court, but took no notice of the sumsons. An attachment was issued for him
sons, and they also contributed to the
pleasure of the company by recitations and
singing. The following programme was received with much applause and shows the improvement of the members:

An Matin, plano, Godard; "Pearl of Pekin"
waltzes, on guitar and mandolins, by Messrs.
Shelton, Carpenter and Peck; "When the
Rode," vocal; "Last Hope," plano,
Gottschalk; "La Favorite," soprano,
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HOTEL PERSONALS.

C. H. Carlon, Jefferson City; T. J. McClure Galiatin, Mo.; H. W. Weller, Peoria, and J B. Burnes, Springfield, Ili., are at the La clede.

Thos. McSweeney, Kansas City; George Weldon, Moberly; Frank Fisher, Chicago, Ill., and B. R. Dawson, Odessa, Mo., are at the Hotel Rozier. Boston, are at the i-Indell.

Fred C. Harris, Sturgeon, Mo.; P. P. Ellis,
New Florence, Mo.; J. W. Parker, Iron
Montain, Mo., and J. W. Montgomery.
Princeton, Mo., are at the St. James.

John Kelly, Springfield, Mo.; A. Potter,
New York; J. Hahensand, Baitmore, Md.;
Aurello Barne, S. Senes, Potosi, Mexico, and Aurelio Barno, S. Sones, Potosi, McXico, an W. A. Ogle, Kansas City, Mo., are at Harst', D. M. Smith, Nashville, Tenn.; E. N. New burger, Chicago; James W. Miller, New York J. H. McEiroy, Kansas City; John H. Coo and T. G. Clark, New York, are at the Sonat

THE WEATHER.

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rose, Colo .. Pueblo, Colo Dodge City, Kan. For Elliott, Tex Fort Sill, I. T. Santa Fe, N. M.... El Paso, Tex. Abliene. Tex. Portiand, Ore. San Francisco Lynchburg, Va. Norfolk San Diego, Cal.

southerly winds.

For Missouri-Fair weather, except in southern portion; local rains; southerly winds; slightly For lows-Local rains; southerly winds; warmer followed by colder weather.

For Nebraska and Kansas-Colder; fair weather; westerly winds. For Arkansas—Threatening weather and rain; coler; easterly winds.

When a Fool Has

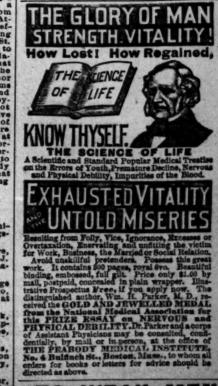
bethought himself, the market is empty.' Recollect that the bargains the merchants advertise in the Post-Disparch to-day are in small lots, and go early.

A COURT WEDDING. It Took Place Quietly To-Day, Witnessed by

Local Dignitaries. day in the Court of Criminal Correction, Judge Campbell performing the ceremony. The high contracting parties were John Deb-onaire, who was held for the Grand-jury in the sum of \$2,500, to answer to a charge of betraying Kittle Seimens, charge of betraying Kittle Seimens, Debonaire first agreed to marry the girl, but afterward weakened in his resolve and determined to fight the case. When the court held him for the Grand-jury in \$2,0000 bond Debonaire took another change of mind and today agreed to marry the girl. Charles B. Smythe, the young lady's attorney, and Miss Nettle Gordon, a friend of hers, stood up with them, and Mr. Smythe and Prosecuting Attorney Ulaiborne signed their names to the certificate as witnesses.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria, When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.



TO WEAK MEN

As a Rule.

The same of the same

It is best not to attempt to remedy costiveness by the use of saline or drastic purgatives. When a cathartic medicine is needed, the most prompt and beneficial is Ayer's Pills. Their effect is to restore the regular action of the bowels, without weakening them. Being sugar-coated, these Pills retain their medicinal virtues for a long time, and are easy to take.

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TIME TABLE

Of Trains Running into Union Depot-St. Louis Time.

Except Sundays; †Daily; Except Saturday; ‡Except
Monday; ¶Monday. BURLINGTON ROUTE. Burlington Route.

BURLINGTON BOUTK-ST. L., K. & NW. R. R. 55. Faul, Cedar Rapids and Burlington Express.
Denver, Lincoln, Omaha, Kanpas City, St. Joseph and Callfornia Express.
Hannibal, Quincy, Reokuk, Ft.
Madison and Burlington Exp† 8:45 pm† 6:30 am
BURLINGTON BOUTE—C., B. & Q. B. B. 8:15 pm \$ 5:20 pm MOBILE & OHIO RAILROAD.

ST. LOUIS & SAN FRANCISCO RAILWAY. Windsor Spring Accommodat n 7:10 am 6:45 am Windsor Spring Accommodat n 8:30 am 8:50 am 7:20 am 7:20 am 8:50 a WABASH RAILROAD.

Chicago & Feoria Express. 7.55 am 615 pm Chicago & Feoria Fast Express 7.55 am 615 pm New York Fast Express 7.55 am 615 pm New York Fast Express 7.55 am 615 pm Decature & Jacksonville Accom 1.45 pm 1035 am Chicago Night Express 7.55 pm 7.45 am Chicago Night Express 7.55 pm 7.45 am

ST. LOUIS & HANNIBAL. Via Wabash Railroad. Bowling Green and Hannibal 5:00 pm 11:55 am Mail and Express 9:00 am 6:30 pm VANDALIA LINE.

MISSOURI, KANSAS & TEXAS RAILWAY. ILLINOIS CENTRAL BAILROAD (Chicago Line.

OHIO & MISSISSIPPI RAIL WAY. Cincinnati & Louisville Accom. * 6:50 am * 7:30 pm Cin'ti, Louisville Wash. Balt. * 8:00 am * 6:55 pm Phila. and New York. * 8:00 pm * 7:06 am Cincinnati Express Cincinnati Louisville, Wash. * 7:00 pm * 7:05 am Cincinnati, Louisville, Wash. * 8:00 pm * 7:45 am Salem Accommodation. * 5:15 pm 8:40 am CLEVELAND. CINCINNATI, CHICAGO & ST.
LOUIS RAIL WAY—'BIG FOUR COUTE.'
Only line landing passengers in Grand Central Depot, New York, via Lake Shore Railway. No change of cars.

| Tils am | 5:45 pm | Southwestern Limited. | Tils am | 5:45 pm | Southwestern Limited. | Color | Colo CHICAGO, ALTON & ST. LOUIS RAILROAD. LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE RAILROAD.

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MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Fast Mail
Local Express.

Washington Accommodation.
Kansas City, Omaha. Lincoln.
Southern and Gaiveston Ex.
Kansas City, St. Joseph, Colora
ha and Wichita Fast Line.
Kansas City, St. Joseph, Colora
ha and Texas Express.

Tolus, IRON MOUNTAIN & SOUTHERN.

Columbus Accommodation.

Tittle Bock, Hot Springs, Dalias and Fort Worth Express.
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Remphis, Little Rock, Hos Springs, Dallas, Fort Worth,
El Faso and California Express!

TOLEDO, ST. LOUIS & KAN-AS CITY R. R. MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILWAY. TOLEDO, ST. LOUIS & KAN-AS CITY B. R.

ST. LUUIS, ARKANSAS & TEXAS HAILWAY. Arkansas & Texas Express. | 1 8:20 pm | 7:20 am
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RIVER TRANSPORTATION. LOWER MISSISSIPPL

and Cape Girardeau Tri-Weekly F Str. IDLEWILD.

And really it was time.

Everybody had had it more or less, and especially more. You could not fall ill with any comfort, for the doctors were all hors du combat. were all hors du combat.

You could not die and
get buried decently on
account of the short-

handed condition of the even the black draperies ing the outer doorways, to the heart of bereaved ies in France (as well as to their purses). had to be dispensed with in a majority of cases, because there was nobody to put them up. People could not give dinners during the late holiday season, because all their servants were laid up. And, most comical effect of all, ill-matched couples were denied the comfort of a divorce, because the Divorce Tribunal was closed, owing to the ravages of the epidemie amongst its members. There have been one million of cases amongst the population of Paris since it first broke out—one third of the entire population. To find anything so universal one must go back to the had to be dispensed with in a majority of -one third of the entire population. To find anything so universal one must go back to the

name having been Ropsaert. Her musical and ducal spouse did not get along very well with his eldest stepdaughter. In weight and ducal spouse did not get along very well with his eldest stepdaughter. In fact, he quarreled so violently with the young lady that she left the maternal mansion and took refuge in a convent. She was married from that retreat to the Prince de Scey-Montbeliard, the marriage having been arranged, in European fashion, by some of their mutual friends. The Duchess de Camposelice very strongly objected to the match, and was not present at the wedding. Meantime the Duke had departed this life, so that the bride was freed from the interference and oppression of a very cantankerous stepfather. She has now returned to the shelter of the maternal roof and proceedings for a separation have been begun. Various reasons for this action on the lady's part have been alleged, some saying that her princely husband treated here very cruely, and others delaring that pecuniary questions are alone involved, and that his princeship has been aquandering her handsome fortune at such a rate that some decisive step had become positively necessary to save herself from being left penciless. The Princes had been a most ardent fortune-hunter among the American heiresses that frequent the scelety of Nice and of Paris before he succeeded in capturing the hand and fortune of his Singer. The Frincess is an artist of some talent of the Impressionist school, and sundry of her works have been exhibited at the Saion. Her sister, who married the young Duke Perincess de Scey-Montbeliard is unfortunately

VERY PLAIN. Not that the question of appearance or character makes any difference in the formation of these international alliances. The most amusing point to the lookers-on in the Caid-

Not that the question of appearance or character makes any difference in the formation of these interantional alliances. The most amusing point to the lookers-on in the Caidwell-Murat imbrogilo was the naive conviction of the lady that her princely betrothed was really in love with her. Love has about as much to do with these alliances, so far as the gentlehen are concerned, as with an eclipse of the sun. It is a mere business transaction—a question of barter and saie. And the great mistake that American girls make when they are about to contract such marriages, is not to have all pecuniary questions, and those relating to the authenticity of the title thoroughly investigated and firmly actived beforehand. I trust that the Princess De Scey-Montbellard had her fortune well protoced by legal measures before she married. Failing that precaution she will probably be forced to pay largely for her few years of matrimony and her princesship.

The wedding cards of Miss Hutchins and of Baron alfred Oppenheim of Cologne have just been issued. The young lady's mother married after her wild whood Mr. Parkinson Sharpe, a weaithy English gentlemen, and the marriage will take place in London. The bride-elect is a very pretty girl and an accomplished musician. Her future husband is the nead of one of the great bank. In the last of Germany, and was greatly admired in Parla when she resided here as Mrs. Hutchins.

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Which was recently given in the American Colony in Paris has created a very widespread sensation. The hostess of this corasion is a most eccentric lady, a sort of Transatiantic edition of Mrs. Maiaprop, though unfortunately she makes all her comical speeches in French so that I cannot amouse my friends and read-ors by grotony and the married and the share promotion of her sainer to give some representation. All paris he married when he representation is a most eccentric lady, a sort of

ONE MILLION CASES OF IT

THAT IS THE RECORD OF LA GRIPPE IN
GAY PARIS.

No Such Universal Illness Since the Black
Death of the Middle Ages—Another International Match Come to Grief—Miss
Hutchins' Wedding—A Remarkable Entertainment—Berahardt's Great Success.

Special Correspondence of Post-Disparch.

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ARIS, Jan. 28.—I am not going to say anything about the influenza today, except to echothe joyful intelligence, now widely 'promulgated in the French papers, of his gradual abatement, and really it was time.

Everybody had had it

LUCY H. HOOPER.

LADIES OF ST. LOUIS

Give thanks to-day for the bounteous spread the merchants give you in the columns of the Post-Dispatch of Real Bargains for to-morrow.

THE TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE, A Determined Effort to Put a Stop to Freight

The members of the Merchants' Exchange Transportation Committee are determined to correct some abuses which it is alleged nave long existed in the matter of freight discrimination disadvantageous to this city. The railroads promise to co-operate with

the population of Paris since it first broke out —one third of the entire population. To find anything so universal one must go back to the records of the black death of the Middle Ages, the most dreadful pestilence that the world has ever known. But that slew over haif of the persons attacked, while the victims of the influenza have been few and far between, averaging scarce one death to a thousand cases.

Another "international match" has come to grief. This time it is the union, now of some two years' standing, of a Beigian Prince to an American heiress. The lady was formerly Miss Winarcetta Singer. She is one of the daughters of the late

SEWING MACHINE INVENTOR

by his last wife, who is now the Duchess de Camposelice. It may be remembered that the widowed Mrs. Singer married a Beigian violinist for whom she purchased the Italian title of Duke de Camposelice, his own name having been Ropsaert. Her musical and ducal spouse did not get along very well with his eldest stepdaughter. In

RAIROAD RATES.

Points of Interest to St. Louis Houses Ship-

rate on petroleum and its product from St. Louis to points on the Austin & Northvestern Railway in Texas is 55 cents per 100 pounds in car loads and 48 cents per 100 pounds. on beer. These rates apply via the Missouri Pacific Rallway.

Taking effect February 15, the rate on flour

meal, hominy, grits and oatmeal to all points in Louisiana and Texas, taxing Texas common point rates, will be 51 cents per 100 pounds, and on grain and bran, straight car loads, 46 cents per 100 pounds.

The rate on crackers, in carloads and less than car load lots, will be restored, via the Missouri Pacific Railway, to Texas common points, on February 10.

The rates on nails and wire in straight or mixed car loads, to points in Texas and Louisiana, on the Texas & Pacific and International & Great Northern west of San Athonia, are as follows: From St. Louis 21 cents, Louisville, 23 cents, Cincinnati 26 cents, Pittsburg 33 cents, Columbus 32 cents, Cincinnati 26 cents, Pittsburg 33 cents, Columbus 32 cents, Cincinnati 26 cents, Pittsburg 33 cents, Columbus 32 cents, Cicveland 35 cents, Riffalo, N. Y., 36 cents, and Ashiand, My., 26 cents, rate on nails per keg and on wire in cents per 100 pounds.

The St. Louis, Arkansas & Texas Railroad have issued Joint Through Tariff, No. 467, and respondent to the control of the control of the control of the cents of the control of the Gran'-jury. Yes, I live bere."

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"Well, I was told away back yonder of the or hight." The St. Louis, Arkansas & Texas Railroad have issued Joint Through Tariff, No. 457, from St. Louis, East St. Louis and Cairo to Helena. Ark., taking effect February 18: First class, 85 cents; second class, 65 cents; third class, 85 cents; fourth class, 65 cents; third class, 85 cents; class B 30 cents; class D, 20 cents; class B 30 cents; class D, 20 cents; class B 30 cents; class B 30 cents; packling-house products 27½ cents; bagging and ties, 25 cents; all per 100 pounds and governed by the Western classification. The rates on flour etc., applying south-bound only and do not apply to intermediate points.

NOTES.

C. W. Hequembourg, Car Service Agent, Missouri Pacific Railway, is in Little Rock.

A number of the district and travelling passenger agents of the Saula Fe were refused permission to attend the Jacksouville, Flas., meeting, the new management declaring that the business of the road required their presence.

Effective February 14 a new tariff will be put

ence.

Effective February 14 a new tariff will be put in on class rates from Memphis to Green Line points.

Items of Interest Gathered From Adjacent Towns.

Rrighten, Ill., Feb. 12.—Mrs. Nellie Bliss and daughter visited in St. Louis last week.

—Mrs. Marshall of St. Louis was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Diamond, over Sabbath.—Mrs. Davison of Jerseyville visited her son Clarence's family the first of the week.—Drs. Clement of Greenfield, Horine of Plasa, Gilson and Seaman of Shipman were visitors of our city on Monday. Dr. and Mrs. Barcus of Carlinville visited the lady's parents on Saturday and Sabbath.—Miss Nettle Glenny leaves on Friday for St. Louis, where she will perfect her studies in stenography.—Charlie Barber is visiting relatives in Frederickstown, Mo.—Harry Young has returned to his home in Odell after a fortnight's visit with old friends.—Charlie Wall was down from Greenfield on Sunday.—Baptist Social will be held at the residence of G. P. Cameron on Friday.

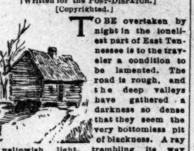
McLeansboro, Ill., Feb. 12.—Carter's Band, called the "Big 4," are here from Evansville, to play for the big ball to-night. If McLeansboro has any elite, they, or it, will be out in force to welcome this fine musical quarteste and enjoy the "mazy dance."—Miss Tate and Miss Tucker of Dubque, Io., are visiting in McLeansboro, the guests of Mr. J. H. Lockhart.—Mrs. Sally Powell of this place and Mrs. Hart from Montana, are in New Orleans attending Mardigras.—Miss Fio Powelj will go to Cairo soon to attend the Musical Consorvatory.

to Superintendent of the City Division Cookson instructing him to impress upon carriers, box office and general delivery clerks the necessity of carefully reading the entire address upon every letter they handle. Distributors, he says, are liable to make errors which might be corrected in most instances if the delivery force would carefully read addresses in full. The distributors work is done with so much haste and with no opportunity for revision that errors cannot be avoided. Letters addressed to other cities are sometimes improperly distributed and sent to the general delivery where, upless the cierk carefully reads all addresses in full, it is liable to rest for months. Similarities of names frequently cause misdistribution, and the error is made serious if the carrier is not watchful. Neariy all the complaints of missent letters in the city, Mr. Harlow says, could be avoided if his suggestions are heeded. to Superintendent of the City Division

WASN'T READY TO PREACH.

They Killed Their Best Hen for His Benefit and Gave Him Shelter, Expecting Him to Stir Up Their Feelings With a Sermon, but He Stole Away Through a Hole in the Roof at Night.

[Written for the POST-DISPATCH.]



through the gloom, comes down from a hill where dogs are barking. The traveler is gladdened and, riding up to a log cabin,



He Agreed to Take Him In.

"I would like to stay over night with you am cold, hungry and tired, and don't believe can go another step."
"Wall, we kain't take in no pusson, caze we

ain't got no place for a pusson ter sleep; but ef you'll go right down yan ter Jim Mason's he'll keep you in the finest sorter shape Lives right down than at the foot of the hill.' The traveler turns away disappointed, of course, but he has placed a wreath of faith upon the head of Jim Mason, who lives "right down thar," and onward he goes through the dark-ness. His horse stumbles, and sometimes he has to stop and feel his way. Mile after mile is passed, it seems, but no beam of light comes trembling out to meet him. He curses the man who has lied to him, and in his anger he thinks of finding his way back and choking

he thinks of finding his way back and choking the socundrel, when suddenly a light down the valley warms his heart. He rides up to a cabin. "Halloa." Door is opened, man POKES HIS HEAD OUT.
"Mr. Jim Mason live here?"
"What do you want with him?"
"I want to stay all night."
"Oh, 'lowed mebbe you wanted ter snatch him up befo' the Gran'-jury. Yes, I live here."
"Well, I was told away back yonder, I don't know how far, that you would accommodate me for the night."
"Red-headed feller was it that told yon?" he asked, still standing with his head poked out.

of a steer."

I was the traveler, and I saw my chance. No causistry could stand up against such inducements to tell a lie—yea, so great a necessity of it. I would deceive him.

"My dear sir, I am from Texas sure enough, and I do know his people, though, of course, NOT INTIMATELY."

"Know Alf?"

"Know and
"Yes."
"An' Tobe?"
"I do."
"Look here, you must know my brother.
Pete, that lives out thar in Cathoon County.
"I am acquainted with him. Out there he is known as 'Long Pete."
"Wall, I declar, stranger, you air gettin'
"stresstin'."

"Shall I get down and come in?"
"Yes, but wait a minit. Now you air a truthful man, air you?"
"I have always been regarded as such."



"I Want My Feelins Teched."

"Ah, hob, an' I don't like ter doubt you, but thar's jest one thing an' only one, that looks a little suspicious." Tell me what it is and I will endeavor to explain."
"Wush you would explain. You see I ain't got no brother Pete an' naver did have none. I'm Pete myse'f. Knowd you was a rascal as soon as I heard you speak. Good night.
He shut the door and turned away. My horse stumbled, so rough was the way, and at one time fell to his knees. It must have been if o'clock when I saw another light. When I relied a man opened the door.
"Who's thar?"
Another lie might be successful. I would take a desperate chance.
"I am a preacher," I answered, cold, hungry, tired and lost in this swful night of darkness. Oan you take me in?"
"What sort of a preacher?"
"Methodist."

"What sort of a prescuer"
"Mesthodist."

"WaLL, I RECKON HE KEN,"
a woman's voice unswered. "Jest get right
down an' come in, an' Dick vou take the
brother's boss. Bless my life; the idea of a
prescher bein' lost sich a night as this. Walk
right in, brother."

They had been to bed, but a great log fire
burned in the immense fire piace. The man
took my horse, and the woman busied herself
with putting her house in order, and, during
the time, deplored the hardships to which I
had been subjected. The man, a comical old
reliow with dead grass whiskers, soon returned and shook hands with me time and
again.

A LIE THAT DIDN'T PAY. Stranger come along in the arly part of the high an' wanted to stay with us, an' although we've got a fust rate bed up stairs I sent him on down ter Sam Mason's caze I 'lowed suthin' mout happen. Powerful glad ter see A WITNESS IN THE KENNERLY CASE WHO

we've got a fust rate bed up active to me down ter Sam Mason's caze I 'lowed suthin' mout happen. Powerful glad ter see you.'

It TO PREACH.

It Hen for His Benefit ther, Expecting Him to lings With a Sermon, Through a Hole in the lings With a Sermon, Through a Hole in the 'No. Puss,' he rejoined, "I love you too well ter deprive you of that air pleasure. Brother, whit is yo'n ame?"

'Sanderson, "I answered."

'Wall, I am powerful glad to see you. Puss slip out thar an' snatch the feathers offen the dominecker hen and cook her fur brother Sanderson. Wake up Sim an' tell himshar's Sanderson water preacher should be see you. What Sort of a hose air you ridin'?"

'A pretty fair animal.'"

'A pretty fair animal.'"

'Yis, The Mexitin'-HOUSE

is right down that in the beller; so you didn't miss it so mighty fur atter all. Don't pay no 'tention ter that noise. It's only the dominecker hen a squawiln'. Better squawi, too, fur when that wife of mine apreads you have an advanced to a ken, why the hen's life ends pretty son at the palmer of her hands out on a hen, why the hen's life ends pretty son at the palmer of I must have loooked bad at that moment; indeed my hair must have begun to rise on the top of my head. Preach—I couldn't have said six words. Would it do to undeceive the old fellow? No. He was comical in some respects, but his eyes said, "Don't you fool with me."

with me."

The woman entered: "Fur pity sake, Dick, air you still tryin' ter eat the brother up? A pusson would think that you never hurt notody in your life, you air so lovin', but Sam Bettis wouldn't think so."

"Wall, he told me a lie, Puss, an' I won't stand that frum nobody. I don't mind a man cheatin' me outen a dime once in a while, but it won't do fur a pusson ter lie ter me about nothin' a tail." othin' a tall."
"Come on, brother, an eat a bite," said the woman.

I had been exceedingly hungry, but my appetite was gone. The life of the dominecker hen might have been spared.

'I expect a powerful sermon from you termorrer, brother,' my

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AFFECTIONATE HOST
remarked. "We ain't had our feelin's stirred up in some time an'we want 'em stirred. Jest want you ter pile doctrine up on that pulpit till you'd think it was a fodder stack. That's the only way to please our folks."

We returned to the sitting-room. Something had to be done.

"Now, brother," said the host, 'jest stepright up thar an' go to bed, fur you'll need a little sleep."

"Thank you, but let me go out and see about my horse."



The Escape.

must sleep, fur we want a powerful sermon termorrer. Take off yo' shoes right down here by the fire.'

"No, I'll take them off up-stairs."

The room above was reached by means of a ladder. I bade them good night and climbed up. My intention was to escape before daylight. I could not help but groan when I had glanced about the room. There was no window, and I could not escape through the room below. "I must make a hole through the roof," I mused.

Would they never stop talking! At last they

below. 'I have many roof,' I mused. 'I have roof,' I mused. Would they never stop talking! At last they were quiet. The clapboards must have been held down by spikes. It was awful work, but at last I succeeded in making an opening large enough. To get out on the roof was an easy matter, but how was I to get down? I crawled matter, but how was I to get down? I crawled to one corner, and in trying to climb down slipped and fyll off. I fell on a dog. It must have killed him, for nothing far removed from the grave could have sounded such a note of despair. The old man did not awake. I roamed round and round trying to find the stable. Found at last. Went into the wrong stall and was kicked by a colt.

I mounted and rode away. My horse was so tired, notwithstanding his food and rest, that he traveled with difficulty; but lurged him on. Daylight came and then I cursed myself. I had left my horse, a magnificent animal, and had taken an old stiff-jointed, knock kneed thing that would not have brought \$10 on the public square of a village. Should I go back? Oh, no. I rode, or stumbled on, until the old plug gave out, and then I walked and carried my saddle.

Don't Go to Red

Don't Go to Bed

To-night until you have read the adver ements of the merchants in this issue of the Post-Dispatch.

Agitation Among Laboring Men-Tinners

and Canners to Organize. A movement is now progressing to organize a union of the tinners and canners of the city, and to that end a mass-meeting of all interested in these trades has been called for

terested in these trades has been called for next Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the Central Turner Hall. There will be good speakers in attendance, and the meeting will be held under the auspices of the Trades and Labor Union. An effort is being made to bring about a closer union of the cooper-workers. A movement to that effect has lately been made in Chicago, and will reach the trade here within a week or so. The furniture-workers are holding a series of meetings for the advancement of the eight-hour question, and the Trades and Labor Union is doing the same thing. A general meeting of all the trades in the city will be held February 22 in Central Turner Hall, when speakers from various parts of the country will tell the benefits that eight hours' work will result in.

Judge Thayer returned this morning from be merry with other District, Circuit and Su-preme Judges of the United States and New

Disturbed the Salvation Army. In the Second District Police Court to-day Peter Mathews was brought up to answer to a charge of disturbing the Salvation Army at their meetings in their hali, 2112 Franklin avenue. Different brothers and sisters testified to the bolsterous conduct of the sacrilegious Peter at their meetings and the Court fined him \$10. He was also fined \$10 for resisting the officer who arrested him.

putting her house in order, and, during ime, deplored the hardships to which the same position in the chicago schools, is in the city on a visit. She will dead grass whiskers, soon red and shook hands with me time and lighty glad ter see you, brother. Hain't a preacher at my house for a powerful time. Fowerful glad ter see you will meet to-morrow evening.

HAD BEEN THAT WAY HERSELF.

not Agree With Her—A Witness Argues
Eccentricities as an Index to Great
Minds—Three New Corporations—Notes.

Mrs. Elizabeth Kennerly, the South St. Louis philanthropist and religious advocate, is still on irial before a jury in the Probate Court. Over twenty witnesses have been examined so far and about half believe Mrs. Kennerly of unsound mind and the other half believe otherwise.

A witness was placed on the stand late yes

terday evening who had apparently been re-hearsing just how she would act when called upon to testify. She was an elderly lady, with the habit of flying off at a tangent, instead of confining herself to the question. She had she first called on the lady, she said: "It was after she was stricken with paralysis, and there they let her suffer

and did not send for me and I felt very hurt about it. I aaked the doctor what was the matter and he said it was neuralgia. I knew it was not neuralgia, and said: 'Doctor, you lont's know what is the matter with her. and I-'"
"Never mind that; tell how the lady was when you saw her." interrupted the attorney.
"Me and the doctor differed, you see," she continued, unmindful of the instruction,

'and I chastised him." 'Beat him?' "Oh, my, no; I only talked to him."

"Gave him a tongue lashing, as it were?" "Yes, that was it." "Did you ever see Mrs. Kennerly while she vas insane?" was asked.

She's not insane. She gets flighty fits, "What no you mean by flighty?"
"What no you mean by flighty?"
"Oh, just flighty. Out of her head like."
"If a person is flighty or out of their head
like are they not insane?"
"Oh no. I've been flighty myself years
ago."

ago."
"When you were yovng?"
"No, but when I was younger."
"When Mrs. Kennerly is in one of those fighty fits don't you consider her insane?"
"Oh no. We all have our flighty spells you know."

"What would you do when she talked out of her head like?"
"I would agree with her in everything. When she saw anything I tried to please her by saying I saw it too just to please her you "What is your opinion. Is she same or in-

"What is your opinion. Is she sane or insane?"

"Oh she is sane, no doubt about that. She
can take care of herself.,

Three or four ladies who have kn wn Mrs.
Kennerly for years testified this morning and
all of them said she was weak-minded from
sickness but still retained her memory and,
in their opinion, she was capable of managing
her own affairs. Though insane one day
she recalled visits made to hospitals in
this city during the war the next day,
and even relates incidents that occurred from
ten to twenty years ago. She will hold conversations of some length and then, as
though weakened or exhausted, she will sink
into a blank state, during which she talks incoherently and tells of her trip to the Arctic
Ocean, to Asia and Palestine and to Africa.
On all her imaginary voyages she meets the
Virgin Mary and very often the Savior, whom
she describes as very sad. When her mind
does not wander to Asia it remains at home,
and she thinks she hears bolsterous laughter
in the next room and that some one is peeping
through the door at her.

Mrs. Louisa Weigand said she had known
Mrs. Kennerly fifteen years, and never thought
her insane.

"Well, you thought her peculiar, didn't her insane.
"Well, you thought her peculiar, didn't
you?" was asked.
"Well, yes. Ever since I met her I have
always thought her a bright-wary bright

woman."
"Was that the peculiarity?"
"I know and have met a number of bright
ladies and have always noticed that the
brightest minds were always somewhat eccentric."

Information was filed in the Probate Court yesterday by Mrs. Magdalena Ellinger in which she says her daughter, Miss Carrie W. Eilinger, now confined in the Friends' Asylum of Philadelphia, Pa., is of unsound mind and incapable of managing her affairs. She asks that a guardian be appointed. Judge Woerner has not set a date for the hearing of this case. This will make the fourth inquiriendo de iunatico proceedings had within six weeks.

Lewis-Sharpe Commission Co., whose capital stock is \$20,000. J. W. Sharpe holds 75 shares, 50 shares.

The Frank Paule Merchant Tailor Co. reincorporated yesterday with a capital of \$4,000.

Frank and George M. Schreiner hold one share each. A. J. Naughton holds ten shares and C. J. Paul and J. D. Moore hold nine

shares each.

The St. Louis Butchers' Union has filed articles of association in the Recorder's office. The capital is \$2,000, and the stockholders are Henry Wallbrink, Alex Riske, Louis Ost and Christ Stusse, who hold 154 shares each.

Two Wailing and Injured Wives. Mrs. Hattle Woollacot has filed a petition asking to be divorced from Isaac N. Woolla cot, to whom she was married June 2, 1886. She states that the first Sunday after the

she states that the arst sunday after the marriage he spent the day in a salcon, and from that time until August 17, 1888, he gambled, drank and sported beyond the limits of her tolerance. He left, and the last heard of him he wrote from New Orleans for 325.

Mrs. Barbara Schnetzer has sued for divorce, saying she was married to Feter Schnetzer July 12, 1885, and left him in 1886. She charges him with cruelties and indignities and with keeping the company of other women.

Legal Notes.

A suit on a note for \$475 has been filed by Klein, Timberman & Co. against H. W. Heliman.

C. W. and J. E. Henger have entered suit against L. H. Hespes and C. L. Miller to recover a judgment for \$700.

'The financial report of the assignee of H. L. Niedringhaus, an assignment which has been hanging in the courts for several years, was filed in Judge Dilion's court to-day.

John D. Davis, trustee of the Nast estate, was granted permission by Judge Fisher this morning to borrow \$40,000 on the property just west of Hotel Moser on Pine street with which to improve the property with a four-story building.

City Counselor Bell has filed a motion for a new trial in the case of Mrs. Emily Haussmann, who broke her ankle in a hole in the sidewalk on Unlifornia arenue, and for which she received a verdict for \$5,250. Mr. Bell says the verdict is excessive.

J. B. C. Lucas was given a judgment and verdict for \$1,600 by a jury in Judge Klein's court yesterday against James Ruane. Roane, went on the appeal bond of John F. Falion in a case where Lucas received judgment in Justice Sheehan's court sexients fallon for possession of the houses 1100 and 1116 St. Charges street.

A jury has been impaneled in Judge Klein's court to try the \$3,000 damage suit of Martin

The Cable & Western.

an inquiry on the subject to a party in this city representing local capitalists, who desire to purchase it and extend it to the Western City limits and to Forest Park.

"A Word to the Wise

Is sufficient." The dry goods merchan advertise their wonderful bargains in this

The Bridsi Bulletin.	
The following marriage licenses were during the twenty-four hours ending at	granted 3 p. m.
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Frank Schaefer	8. 11 st
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Herman Kasper 3228 Kitte	rlum av
George Gillespie	oline at loebn st
Mary Moraghan	erson av
Catharine Schuster 1124 N.	13th st
C. H. Neubert	iteau av
Jerry Hall 1118 N. Maggie Kellogg 1114	Wash at
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Nellie Lahey3400 Fran	arroll st
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MERMOD & JACCARD JEWELRY CO., COR. BROADWAY & LOCUST ST.

Michael Gulenz..... J. Dorothea Jaeger...

The following real estate transfers were

during the twenty-four hours ending at 3 p. 1
dav:
Freeman J. Comstock and wife to Charles H.
Turner. 60 ft. on Aubert av., city block
3761.

Patrick F. Grace and wife to John Bruno, 50
ft. on Beil av., city block 4889.
Mary A. McCann to Edward J. McCann, 25
ft. on Cass av., city block 1883; quit elsim
deed.
John Goodin's administrator et al., by special
commissioner, to David A. Brislin, 34 ft. on
n. s. Christy av., city block 174; special
commissioner's deed
Catherine Goodin to Brislin-Sheble Manufacturing Co., 54 ft. on m. s. Christy av.,
city Lock A. Brislin and wife to Brislin-Sheble
Manufacturing Co., 54 ft. on m. s. Christy
av., dity block 174.
Lute Hackett and wife to Michael Frawley,
25 ft. on Clayton roax, city block 4783; quit claim
Michael Frawley to Annie M. Hackett, 25 ft.
en Clayton rd., city block 473; quitelaim.
Katie Vogt to Wm. Hambley, 50 ft. s.
Cote Brilliante av., bet. Taylor and Cora
avs.; city block 3721.
Joseph Humes and wife et al. to Richard
Ryan, 25 ft. n. s. Marceau st., bet. Virginia
avs. at city block 1621.

Kate Bonnel et al. to Starthon and Compten
avs.; city block 1621.

Michael Hammel and wife to Wm. Zurbruegg
et al., 28 ft. n. s. Marceau st., bet. Virginia
Bav. and 7th st., city block 4313.

Nellie E. Fish to Frank Buch er., 25 ft. 28
in. on Manchester road, city block 1930.

Henry V. F. Block and wife to Richard T.
Blow, tots it 6 ft. sar Arsenal and Cabanne
sts., city block 4110

John Anger and wife to Frederick Frobst., 25
ft. mear Good and Ashland avs.; city block
4466.

Consense of Marchael and Solon.

Is sufficient." The dry goods merchants advertise their wonderful bargains in this

"IN MEMORY OF ALSACE."

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itrasbourg, Once a Famous City, New a German Garrison Town.

From the London Globe.
Strasbourg! Involuntarily one pronounce it with a sign, as memory recalls what that brief name has cost to two great nations, and

""A Word to the Wigs

Is sufficient." The Gry goods merchants advarted their wonderful bargains is this lesse of the Port-Diractor.

THE PALIMIG SPRINGS HLAST.

Effect of the Greek Earth Schake of Monday Region of Control of Statistics has been reported to have had such great close as that fired as Phillar Spring, Ill., on Monday vening. The quantity of the work is well as the fired as Phillar Spring, Ill., on Monday vening. The quantity of the work is well as the fired as Phillar Spring, Ill., on Monday vening. The quantity of the specific statistic of the control of t

The Two Kinds, Their Dangers and Symp-

From the Philadelphia Record. "There are two classes of pneumonia," said Dr. Roberts Bartholow, an authority on the subject, yesterday; "the croupous and the catarrhal. The cause of the disease in many

often ands in death. The mortality in croupand in catarrhai pneumonia is often as high
as 50 per cent.
The moist weather which we have had this
year is especially productive of pneumonia
as 50 per cent.
Year is especially productive of pneumonia
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Year is especially productive of pneumonia
hat it is also caused by exposure to the cold, and
in any event is a very dangerous disease.
Many persons who have been attacked by is
never fully recover, and feel the effects of is
all through their life.
There are some peculiarities about pneumonia that makes it interesting to the layman
as well as to the medical man. In its croupous form it is one of the few diseases that is
self-limited and that ends in a crisis. When
this crisis, which usually comes on the seventh
day, is favorable to the patient it is followed
by a sudden and decided fail in the temperature of the body, which has been as high as
lot or 105 degs., and the sufferer begins to
pick up rapidly. If the crisis is not favorable
the patient goes down hill to death with equal
rapidity.

Men are more exposed to pneumonia than
women, because they are more in the open
air and are more exposed to pneumonia than
when it does not kill, has a tendency to develop into consumption. For some reason
beat known to itself the croupous form has a
particular fondness for the right lung, and
medical statistics show that in 10 cases it attacks that long in nearly fifty-four instances,
the left lung in thirty eight eases, and both
lungs in the remaining eight instances. Catarrhal pneumonia nitacke both lungs without
disorimination. It has no fixed duration like
the other form, and altogether is a very
serious matter.

The umonia is a very fatal disease for the old
and the young, who fail victims to if much
more readily than do those of middle age.
Death comes as a collapse of the vicia powers,
and usually takes place while the patient
lie in a state of come.

The terrible mortality of catarrhal pneumonin-one-half of the cases—makes it one of
the most

ANOTHER AMERICAN PRINCESS.

PLEASURE NEAR PIASA

PLANS DECIDED UPON FOR THE CONSTRUC-TION OF A \$30,000 HOTEL AT ELSAH.

The Summer Resort Near Alton to Be Read for Guests Early in the Season—An Ed-wardsville Lady Invests in Lecal Real

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summer resort grounds at Elash, near Alton,
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The building is to be two stories sigh and
north sides. It is to have a general parior,
ladies' parior, gunis' parior and reception
rooms clustered at the soothwast corner,
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where the clustered side is to be the large
dining-room, and will be altered at
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dence improvements. The ground has a frontage of 100x162 feet, \$56 per foot being the consideration paid for it.

EAST ST. LOUIS.

McCasiand & Guignon report the following sales in Claremont addition:
Division avenue, south side, between Twelftn and Fremont, 100x122 feet of ground, owned by McCasiand & Guignon, sold at \$6 per foot to Mr. Peter Cowan of St. Louis.
Pearl street, nortneast corner of Broadway, a 96x191 foot lot, owned by McCasiand & Guignon, sold at \$18 per foot to Mr. Henry Vogel of East St. Louis.

AN EDWARDSVILLE INVESTOR.

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Mrs. Julia Benedict, a lady from Edwardsville, Ill., who has been looking for a remunerative and permanent investment for some of her surplus cash, made a \$19,000 purchase of residence prop erty which is producing an annual rental of \$2,880. The premises she bought is the row of two-story brick flats occupying a space of 100 feet front by a depth of 165 feet to an aliey, numbered 2013 and 2022 Wash street. Mr. George Fresch was the grantor and Samuel Bowman & Co. negotiated the sale. Another sale made by the same firm was that of the premises numbered 2034 and 2864 Fanklin avenue, for \$8,000 cash to Mr. Frank Hunleth. The premises embrace a couple of substantially built two-and-a-half-story brick dwellings, formerly owned by the Gartside eatate. They are renting for \$1,080 a year. Mr. S. Bowman was the grantor.

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GREEN LEA PLACE.

Mr. John J. Clemmen has purchased a sixroom frame house and 37x135 feet of ground at
No. 4148 Green Lea place from Thomas Robinson. Mr. C. C. Nicholis negotiated the sale.
C. C. Nicholis reports the following sales:
Green Lea Place—a six room frame cottage
dwelling, with 25x135 feet of ground, house
numbered 4138, the property of Mr. Thos.
Robinson, sold for 52,250 to Mr. John W. Coppage. This is the filth one of these frame cottages which Mr. Nicholis has sold in Green
Lea Place within the past two weeks. Lea Place within the past two weeks. They are very neat little places erected by Mr. Holmes, a Chicago builder. Van Versen avenue—South side, between Goodfellow and Hamilton, a 50x185 foot lot, owned by Mr. Dana Mansfeld, sold at \$15 per foot to Mr. Charles E. Kelso, who bought on

footto Mr. Charles E. Kelso, who bought on speculation. Nelson & Mersman assisted in this sale.

W. C. Walls reports the following sale:
Vine Grove avenue, west side, in city block 2619; 100x198 feet of ground owned by Mr. Walls, sold at \$12 per foot to Mr. John Neft.

HAS THE MONEY TO BUILD.
Mr. Charles Hoyle has negotiated a \$35,000 loan to rebuild his premises destroyed by fire at the southwest corner of Third and Locust streets, where he is going to erect a four-story business house, sufficiently strong to carry the weight of three or four additional floors in the event that more room should be reculred at any time in the future.

required at any time in the future. CALIFORNIA PRODUCTS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.-A great fruit fair It is an exhibit chiefly of the citrous fruits of

BE VIGILANT

EX-PRESIDENT CLEVELAND'S VIEWS He Talks About Ballet Reform, Civil Serv ice and the Tariff.

BALTIMORE, Md., Feb. 13 .- An extended interview with ex-President Cleveland is pub-Washington were fearful that the adoption of the Australian system would imperil Demo-Estate—Property Sales in Various Parts cratic supremacy, he expressed surprise, as he did not see why there should be any fear

Remember that all "want' TWO advertisers in the SUNDAY POST-WANTS DISPATCH of February 16 get the FILLED. and Ophelia," to that of last Sunday.

IN A HAYTIEN PRISON.

The Experience of an American at Port-Au-

By Telegraph to the Post-Disparch.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—The Clyde steamer Saginaw from Hayti reached this port yester-day. The first person to leave her was a tall, sharp-featured man wearing eye-glasses and carrying bundles. A queer looking felt hat gave him an odd appearance and caused many people to turn and stare after him. The stranger is Samuel Fuller Purrington, a sub-marine diver and wrecker, and he had just returned to this city after an exciting time in the black republic. To a reporter he gave the story of his wrongs and his plaus for obtain-

turned to this city after an exciting time in the black republic. To a reporter he gave the story of his wrongs and his plaus for obtaining satisfaction.

"Heft New York," said he, "on November tlast and went to Hayti in the pursuit of my business. I had twe negro boy servants with me and reached Port-au-Prince on November 23. On November 30 I was arrested there on a charge of smuggling, although my baggage had been once searched and pronounced free from dutiable goods. I had with me some trinkets and an outfit for diving and wrecking. My goods were at the Custom-house, and on the day in question I went after them. I wanted to take them in a small boat to the residence of Capt. John Hadleigh, on the Leogane shore, some three or four miles from Port-au-Prince. When out a short distance I was compelled to return to the shore, where the General of the port accused me of smuggling. I protested in vain and offered to let him in spect my baggage. He refused to do this and kept me a prisoner until dark. Then I was given to the care of five soldiers, and they started to take me to prison. My servants followed me, and, knowing they had no money, I pulled out some money and gave it to them. When the soldiers saw the money they drove the servants away, knocked me senseless and robbed me. They took \$162 in money, and left me naked save for my trousers. In this manner! was taken to prison and held for forty-eight hours. While a prisoner I was called on by Mr. Bassett, the Secretary of the American Legation, and an American gentleman named B. T. Crain. After their visit I was told that I was released. I refused to go and was forced out. I laid the matter before the American Minister, Frederick Douglass, and he instituted an investigation. He notified the Haytien Government and an inquiry was held. My story was proved true, although the soldlers swore they did not rob me. I did not get any satisfaction, and I understand Mr. Douglass has presented the case to the State Department. I propose to engage Gen. Roger A. Pryor to pus

DOING WELL,

Geo. Bell Who Was stabbed in the Side by Roxey Collins. morning at Mr. Blair's residence, 1615 Lucas place, is reported by the City Hospital authorities to-day to be doing well. His wound is not serious, as was at first supposed. Jim, allas "Roxey" Collins, the He was formerly employed at the house, Bell taking his place. Yesterday morning he visited the house, quarrelled with Bell and stabbbed him in the left side just below the lower rib, inflicting a gash one inch long. Dr. Outley was summoned, dressed the injury and sent Bell to the City Dispensary. There Drs. Priest and Steinmetz made a hasty examination of the wound and concluded it was dangerous. The injured negrowas sent to the City Hospital. He makes his home with his sister at Twelfth street and

WILL GET A COMPANION PICTURE.

That Is the Good Fortune That Will Come to All Want Advertisers in the Next "Sunday Post-Dispatch."

them in the last SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH got a beautiful work of art entitled "Faust and Marguerite," and now those who put their "want" advertisements in the next SUNDAY advertisements in the next SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH WIll get the BEAUTIFUL COM-PANION PIOTURE, "HANLET AND OPHBLIA." This is a great opportunity, for the want adver-tiser not only gets his wants filled but besides a seautiful picture to decorate the walls of his or her home, or room that serves him or her as such. This great original idea of the Sun-DAY POST-DISPATCH in behalf of its want advertisers has had a feeble imitator that never has any ideas of its own, and the imitator met with the success of imitators generally— POST-DISPATCH office or at the Brs FAILURS. The SURDAY POST-DISPATCH, how- up to 10:30 p. m., Saturday night.

Those who had "wants" and advertised ever, made a great success of its idea last them in the last SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH got week and gave to each want advertiser a beautiful work of art entitled "Faust and work of art, and next Sunday it will do the

The American Art Co., corner of Eighth and Pine streets, will frame these pictures at very wards, and in white and silver at \$1.25. With easel. Bemember all want advertisers of next Sunday (February 16) get this picture.

Want advertisements will be received at the



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ROBBING A CHURCH.

New York, at 4 O'Clock This Morning.

at the corner of Broadway and Fulton street at 4 o'clock this morning observed a dim light showing behind the windows of old St. Paul's years ago, and in which last spring President

Harrison and other great men of the nation gathered to attend the services attending the calebratory. It is the hour nome but belated newspaper men, newsdealers and early market men were upon the streets.

The clock in the old steeple had just tolled a o'clock, and the old graveyard surrounding the church was dark and silent save as the ratite of the paper delivery wagons schood over the square from the faces of the huge buildings about every side. The officer of the paper delivery wagons schood over the square from the faces of the huge buildings about every side. The officer of the paper delivery wagons schood over the square from the faces of the huge buildings about every side. The officer side. Silently they stepped among the art clent gravestones and among the grounds where the old Kalekerbockers lay salesp.

The poles scouted about broken. Through the broken window the officers one by one crept, disappearing within. And as the last officer looked up at the windows of the public of the stained glass of the big windows. Proceeding through a dark passage to the entrance to the auditorium, the three officers forsook their stealthy methods, and burst through the doors with drawn clubs and platois. Up near the aitar two men were descried by the aid of a lamp, within which they were working. As the police rushed down the alsies, one man made aquantity of lace curtains and altar futures, calmy proceeded with his work of plunder quality of lace curtains and altar futures, calmy proceeded with his work of plunder quality of lace curtains and altar futures, calmy proceeded with his work of plunder through the doors with drawn clubs and aquantity of lace curtains and altar futures, calmy proceeded with his work of plunder through the doors with drawn clubs and admitty of lace curtains and altar futures, calmy proceeding the plant of the complete of the plant of the complete

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MEXICAN SUGARS.

such Interest Felt by Planters on tion of Tariff Revision.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—The Times of to-day has a letter from the City of Mexico which says great interest is (elt in that country as to the possibility of a reciprocity treaty being brought about with the United States or aven haps more probable, by either of which measures the raw sugars produced in Mexico may

the industry. Now that facilities have been afforded by the construction of railroads giving the planters the means of obtaining improved sugar mills at a more reasonable price and an outlet on better terms for their product to the domestic markets, it is astonishing to see how quick they are to take advantage of the improved condition of affairs, and it is another evidence that the country is not so devoid of aspital as has often been supposed by foreigners who in a short visit have acquired only a superficial knowledge of the real facts. Without any certainty of independence on the market of the United States, which is the natural one for Mexico as regards sugar and many other of her products which are not grown, or only to a trifling extent, in the neighboring republic, the planters are now engaged in increasing their acreage of came in cutitwation, and really first-class sugar plants are being erected, while even the small growers are abandoning their wooden mills worked by oxen and putting in fren rollers, double and treble sets, applying water power when possible, and getting more out of the came than they ever did before. This movement and improvement, then, is based entirely on the chances of the home and European markets, and would be redoubled if the barrier between Mexico and the United States were broken down. Of course, the Mexican competition would be felt by the Louisiana planters, but their loss would be the scain of the makers of engines, bollers and sugar mill machinery and, more important still, the gains of the 60,000,000 of consumers in the United States in cheaper sugar. If the Louisiannians wish to grow sugar lest them come here, where they will be welcome with their knowledge and experience gained under dimentice in producing an article in a climate and latitude only half suited to the industry. Good land, far better adapted for sugar raising than anything in the United States, can be had still at moderate prices, and that the prospects for profits are good, will be at once recognized fr the industry. Now that facilities have been afforded by the construction of

THE ELECTION CALLED.

NO ATTEMPT WILL BE MADE TO PREVENT 11'S BEING HELD.

Hr. Marshall Defines His Positio Claims the Supreme Court Has Placed rden of Fighting on the Perso Who Will Be Elected, and Not on Neise State Republican League Convention.

The proclamation of the Mayor for a special n for Marshal on March 4 was issued to day. Recorder Williams is now selecting the judges and clerks and will have the list made out in ample time. As neither Councilman

indges and elerks and will have the list made out in ample time. As neither Councilman Nelson or Councilman Metcaif has resigned, but on the contrary both have determined to remain in office until the expiration of their terms, the special election will only be for Marshal. No nomination will in all probability be made by the Republicans, as there is no opposition to Mr. Emile Thomas, who was elected over Mr. Nelser before but could not qualify. The Democratic Central Committee and the nominee will either be Tom Barrett, ex-clerk of the House of Delegates, Anthony Stusyer or Henry Thien.

WILL NOT STOP THE ELECTION.

There will be no attempt made to interfere with the holding of the election by Mr. Nelser or his attorney. "I have been reported," said Mr. Marshall this moraing, "as saying that I proposed to apply for an injunction. This is not so. I never had any such intention. The Supreme Court has defined what we shall do. We are simply to hold the office until some one else can prove to the courts that he is entitled to it under the law. The burden of proof is not on Mr. Nelser, but on the man prove to the courts that he is entitled to it under the law. The burden of proof is not on Mr. Nelser, but on the man who claims the office by virtue of a majority of votes cast at the special election. And let's me remark that the burden will be a rather heavy one. I tried to save the city the extended to the victorian of the merchange of bolding a special election. I cited to save the city the ext. prove to the courts that he is entitled to it under the law. The burden of proof is not on Mr. Nelser, but on the man who claims the office by virtue of a majority of votes cast at the special election. And let me remark that the burden will be a rather heavy one. I tried to save the city the expense of bolding a special election. I cited to the Mayor and City Counselor in my brief all the authorities for my position, and not a single one can be brought up on the other side of the case. I laid down my full hand, and if the city authorities did not single one can be brought up on the other side of the case. I laid down my full hand, and if the city authorities did not see that it was a royal flush that is their look out. A case very similar to that of the Marshalehip here, in fact entirely analogous as far as the law is concerned, occurred in Fennsylvania. The incumbent of an office under the Orphans' Board ran for re-election just as Neiser did. He was defeated. Before the man elected had qualified, however, he died. The law there was the same as here that an election for the office should be held every four years and that the candidate elected should hold office for four years and until his successor was duly elected and qualified. When the successful candidate died before qualifying a yeacancy was declared and a special election called. The incumbent refused to give up the office on the grounds that under the law there was no vacancy and the Supreme Court sustained his claim. That is this case exactly. There is no vacancy in the marshalship office. There are only three ways in which a vacancy in office can be created. One is by the ousting of the incumbent by some legal procedure; the second is by death, and the third by resignation. Not one of these three conditions has occurred in the Neiser case."

MAY HAVE A WALKOVER. MAY HAVE A WALKOVER.

The surety that the candidate elected will not be able to get the office until his right has been established in the court has made the Democratic aspirants a little scary about runing, and there is a probability that no nomination will be made by the Democrats. Some members of the committee have announced their intention of opposing any nomination on the grounds that no candidate put up can carry the Democratic vote under the circumstances.

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A point about which there is considerable discussion is whether the holding of the election under the old system, and disregarding the new law will not afford Neiser's attorney another good argument against the legalty of the election.

League is receiving additions daily to the list convention of the League in Kansas City next eonvention of the League in Kaneas City next Wednesday, and there is good prospects of every local club having a full representation. The delegations will leave next Tuesday night. Now that the Democrats have gone into club organization the Republican League is desirous of making a good showing and there is every prospect that the convention next week will be the largest yet held. The roster will not likely be completed Secretary Hall says before Monday.

Do Your Thinking

THE GOUFFE MURDER.

MONTREAL, Feb. 13.—Eyeraud, wanted in Palss in the Gouffe murder case, came to Montreal in September, accompanied by a young and pretty girl. He registered at the Richelieu as E. V. VanArea and daughter from Paris. He remained in the city a few days, in the meantime making the acquaint-ance of an editor of Le Monde, a French evendays, in the meaning the Monds, a French evening paper. He stated that he represented slik houses in Berlin and Brussels respectively, and desired to establish a connection in Yancouver and San Francisco. For this apparent purpose he, with the young woman, left the city in a few days, and nothing more was heard or thought about them until a few days ago a woman's confession in Paris made public the secret of his mission here. The woman was not his daughter, but Gabrielle Bompart, a balliff's mistress. After she and Eyeraud left Montreal they went to Vancouver, where they quarreled. She left him, went back to Paris and confessed all, placing the crime on Eyeraud's sheulders and telling of their flight to Canada. Van Area returned to Montreal about a week ago but he learned of the confession and at once left for parts unknown. During his stay he lived on Sanguinette street under the name of Chas. Labordere. Le Monds says that French detectives are on his track.

YOU WILL MAKE MONEY

By reading the advertisements of our merchants in this issue of the Post-Disparch providing you get down town early to-morrow morning.

VOLCANIC ERUPTION.

Gaelic arrived from Hong Kong and Yokohama late last night. Japanese advices give the llowing details of one of the most terrible volcanic eruptions in the recent history o Fakuyama, in the Bingo district, commenced to rumble at 8 o'clock on the evening of January 18. This continued two hours, followed by a short cessation, during which period the inhabitants of the neighboring villages rushed away from their homes in great confusion. Soon the top of the mountain was lifted off. There was a din equal to a dynamite explosion and send and stones were believed forth failing in the neighborhood of Fukuyama, where smoke and fire were also blown by the wind. At the entrance of the town the ground was covered with sand and earth to a depth of over a foot. Blones and earth also fell at Midsunomimura, a village six miles away. No previous eruption of Mount Zoo is recorded. Only one man lost his life, but some stock was killed and fifty houses were destroyed. The total loss entailed by the eruption is estimated at nearly \$3,500,000."

IF YOU FAIL TO

Read the merchants' "out prices" advertised in this issue of the POST-DISPATCE you will regret it.

THE STOCK BROKERS.

Chicago Liars' Syndicate-Features of

From New York, 9 a. m .- A friend of Mr. Jones said that he had seen a telegram from the latter, dated Chicago, in which Nat said he had no desire to buy anything. But there are a few bulls on stocks still left, and not with-

cause for the weakness in the United States Fostal Telegraph measure now before Congress.

The earnings of the Wisconsin Central for the first week of February increased 329,780. Those of the Richmond & Danville system for the same week increased \$37,227.

12:30—The market throughout the forenoon has been excessively dull and without feature, excepting the dealings in Sugars, Cotton Cil and Louisville & Nashville, all of which have been strong, and the strength of these has probably imparted a tone to the whole market. Sugar has advanced 2½ per cent over last night's price. The story is that there was large short selling on the recent decision, which insiders have taken advantage of to compet covering. The activity in Cotton Oil is thought is due to an expected early completion of the reorganization and the Louisville & Nashville has been bought strongly by London on the strength of the rights offered to subscribe for the new stock. Money is easy.

The trust certificates market this morning was as follows:

Open-High Low-Conditions.



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A CHAPTER OF ACCIDENTS.

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The Republican League Convention.

Secretary Hall of the State Republican cague is receiving additions daily to the list of delegations which will attend the annual onvention of the League in Kansas City next Vednesday, and there is good prospects of very local club having a full representation. The delegations will leave next Tuesday is desirous of making a good showing and club organization the Republican Leagues desirous of making a good showing and bere is every prospect that the convention ext week will be the largest yet held. The other words and extinguished it. The total loss was about 55. The fire originated from a spark which flew from the stove. While a hook-and-ladder truck was mady racing up Franklin avenue it collided with a sleepy mule and a rickety old cart which were standing in the street. The collision knocked the cart against the advertisements of the merchants in this issue of the Post-Dispatch.

Amusement Notes. norning unwittingly responsible for a series

Wilson Barrett had two big houses to 'Claudian' at the Olympic yesterday. matinee draw more people than any Wednesday affair of that kind ever given at the theater. It was a perfect jam. In the evening, Mr. Barrett was called before the curtain at the close of the play. He made a neat speech and announced that he had decided to change his Saturday night bill and that he would put on "Now-a-Days" instead of "The Silver King." Advertisements in the morning papers announce that "Hamlet" will be given to-night. This is a mistake and the correction will be found in the amusement advertisements of the Post-Disparcht o-day. The bill for the rest of the week is as follows: Thursday, "Claudian;" Friday, "Hamlet;" Saturday matines, "The Silver King;" Saturday night, "Now-a-Days."

George Momanus' benefit at the Grand on Monday night promises to be the most crowded event of the season. The attraction, "Our Flat," is said to be one of the best farce comedies on the road. Mr. McManus' friends should remember that he does not follow the usual rule of sending tickets by mail. He will not do this. Those who wish to secure seats can get them only at the boxoffice, as Mr. McManus is too modest to push the pasteboards around in any way.

Manager Matt Ryan will have a big house for his benefit at the Feople's on Monday evening. He has a good attraction in the St. Feitx Sisters, and his friends will see that he is not neglected.

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Sisters, and his friends will see that he is not neglected.

Miss Seligman and Henry Lee are giving a splendid performance at the People's in "The Supect." The shird and fourth acts of the Disy are very strong indeed. In these acts Miss Seligman's acting ranks with any emotional artiste now on the stage.
"Hermine," with Wm. Redmund and Mrs. Thomas Barry, at the Grand, is a good show and should draw well.

The Hanlons' "Fantasma," at Pope's, is doing a big business, as does every attraction at this house.

Nick Roberts' "Humpty Dumpty" aggregation, as the Standard, is drawing very good houses.

was quite an enjoyade event. Among shose present were: Misses E. and C. Klitie, C. Mc-Ginness, S. Hoods, T. Beazley, E. Herbster, T. Kypta, M. Neagle, M. Murray, M. Quinlan, Miss Winters and Mesers. F. Hurps, Jno. Callahan, J. Winters, W. Quinlan, F. Neagle, Anderson, M. Mahoney, Jas. Callahan, Mr. L. Nolte, Spickerman.

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MEETING OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMI TEE OF THE IRISH NATIONAL LEAGUE.

resident Flingerald Reviews the Situation in His Address—The Work for Hom Rule Done by Irishmen in America—Letter to Dr. Thomas O'Reilly of The City.

Letter to Dr. Thomas O'Reilly of This City.

The National Executive Committee of the Irish National League will meet in this city April 16 for the transaction of important business. The assembling of the National Convention, as is generally known, has been peatponed at the suggestion of Parnell and other Irish National leaders, both in this country and abroad. In connection with the coming session of the Executive Committee President Fitzgerald has issued the following address from his office at Lincoln, Neb.:

Since the inception of the present Irish movement, now nearing its hour of final triumph or sore defeat, the Irish exiles and their children in America have been the chief support and main stay of the national struggle. The continuous financial assistance rendered from the United States and Canada the result of organization. The munificent aggregate ovested by the many contributary streams of Irish-American generosity could never have been astained had the movement depended upon the uncertainty of spasmodic local action. Our enemies have reconstituted the tremendous force of organized effort as a most potent aid to the Irish cause, and they are now exercising all their ingenuity and utilizing their immense resources to destroy and utilizing their immense resources to destroy and unity its influence by trying to create disorganization and distrust among the friends of Ireiand. Secret service money is being expended and subsidized agents are employed to scatter innuendes, to make false allegations, and by every artifice to disseminate alianders in order to disrupt Irish national organization in America.

Be the impelling motive what it may, a hostile press is being utilized in this country to supplement the unscrupulous but defeated efforts of the London Times to discredit not only the national officers of the American League, but the trusted and able leaders of the movement in Ireland, whom till now you have so loyally obeyed and so generously supported.

CONTRIBUTIONS IN IRELIAND.

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the movement in Ireland, whom till now you have so loyally obeyed and so generously supported.

The time has come to appeal to our better nature and to have trust and confidence in ourselves. The Irish people in Ireland are setting us a grand example. They are conducting themselves with a seal, a dignity and a discipline unprecedented in the annals of the human race. Generous as your contributions have been, noble as have been your sacrifices and magnificent your efforts, they are far from equaling, under like circumstances, the manifestation of these qualities by the people in Ireland. For instance, we refer you to the alsority with which they contributed in an inconceivably abort space of time \$150,000 to the defense of the leader in whose person the Irish nation was prosecuted in the late Times forgery commission. We instance the magnanimity with which the peasantry of Ireland have within the last two months raised \$150,000 more for the same cause which is now being in turn contested upon the Irish filliedes.

Ilook to you confidently to move to the support of your kith and kindred in their gallant struggle against the famine-breeding system of Irish landlordism. Looking back upon the Irish filliedes.

Ilook to you confidently to move to the support of your kith and kindred in their gallant struggle against the famine-breeding system of Irish landlordism. Looking back upon the Irish fleaded from her poverty to the relief of the stricken victume of the Irish disposition and indwelling in the Irish heart. The mits that you contribute will be your bread cast upon the waters, of which you will securely anticipate a return. Therefore I exhort you, in your individual and associated capacities, to make one more effort for Irish freedom. Let every branch of the League reassert and bestir itself and let every individual determine to do his part.

DEFENDING MR. O'RHILLY.

gency, so as to preserve and even strengthen the integrity of Irish representation in the British Parliament.

Therefore I entreat you, as honest and loyal supporties of the cause of Ireland, eschewing all local issues, ignoring all distinctions of American national politics, to rally in your integrity and associate in your might and again give us practical evidence of your devotion to the dear old land.

A LETTER TO DR. O'REILLY.

Concerning the recent meeting of the Audi ing Committee which met recently at Detro and went over the accounts of Eav. Dr. O'Reilly.

National Treasurer, Dr. Thos. O'Reilly ethis city has received the following lette from National Secretary Mr. Sutton. Dr. O'Reilly was prevented from attending the meeting by his engagements here, and helegated Mr. McCahill to represent him. The letter, which is quite complimentary to Dr.